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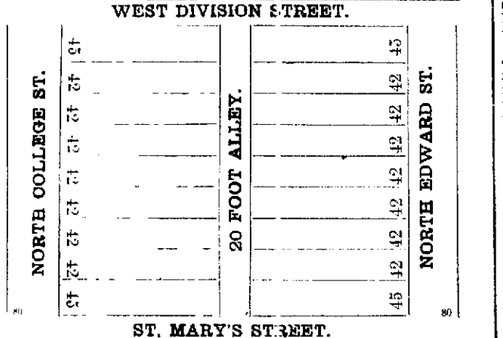

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SILVER CONVENTION.

A Much Larger Crowd Than Was Expected

GATHERED FOR THE MEETING TO-DAY,

Making the Securing of Another Hall a Necessity—Distinguished Arrivals—Allen W. Thurman for Permanent Chairman.

CHICAGO, July 31.—Judging from the prevailing conditions at noon to-day the National Silver convention that opens to-morrow will be a much larger gathering than its promoters had anticipated, and this afternoon they are scurrying around the town in the endeavor, which is likely to prove futile, to secure a larger auditorium than that of the First Methodist church, which has been engaged for the gathering. Between six and seven hundred delegates have already registered at the office of "Coin," the organ of the silverites, and the big delegations from Iowa, Ohio and New York are yet to put in an appearance. The executive committee at its meeting this morning determined that it did not propose to have anyone crowded out, and that if the church proves inadequate at the commencement of proceedings to-morrow they will adjourn for a day and reassemble in Central Music hall.

The Colorado delegates came in this morning, resplendent in badges of silver and blue, bearing the shield of the state, a replica of a silver dollar and the inscription: "Liberty and Union." Having opened up headquarters at the Palmer house, they proceeded to distribute themselves around the hotels for missionary work.

Gov. Waite, who is to be kept in the rear on account of his inflammatory utterances of a couple of weeks ago, did not come with the main delegation, and could not be located by them on their arrival.

Congressman Bland, of Missouri, was one of the early arrivals at the offices in the Montauk block, and for awhile held something of an informal levee.

Other callers during the morning were: Gen. Warner, Senator Lee Mantle, of Montana; Senator Geo. L. Shoupe, of Nevada; Senator Dubois; Congressman Marion Cannon, of California; Senator Hill, and ex-Senator Tabor, of Colorado, and scattering delegates from Alabama, Montana and other states.

A good many of the delegates after registering went to the World's fair and the headquarters, consequently, presented somewhat of a deserted appearance.

Senator Stewart was emphatic in his declaration that the repeal of the Sherman act without a substitute would ruin half a dozen of the western states and territories for half a century to come. Most of the delegates spoke in the same vein, although there was manifested a decided disinclination to indulge in rabid or inflammatory views.

It was the opinion of the executive committee to-day that no set programme should be arranged, but that the convention should arrange its own operations, and that everybody present, no matter how divergent their views, should be given a chance to be heard. The resolutions, it is understood, will follow very closely on the lines laid down in the appeal to the people, adopted by the mass meeting in Denver a few weeks since. The delegates in general are at sea regarding the permanent chairmanship, and it is probable that Gen. Warner will preside over both temporary and permanent organizations.

Allen W. Thurman for Chairman.

CHICAGO, Aug. 1.—The chairmanship of the silver convention was settled last night by the selection of Allen W. Thurman, of Ohio, son of ex-Senator Allen G. Thurman.

DES JARDINES EXPLAINS

Why He Cannot Participate in the Welcome to the Italian Officers.

MONTREAL, Can., Aug. 1.—Mayor Des Jardines, in explanation of his refusal to take part in the reception to the officers of the Italian war ship, writes to the local press as follows:

For the past twenty-five years I have taken part with the Catholic population of Montreal in all movements which have been started to defend or vindicate the right of the pope to his temporal domain against the Italian government. I have applauded and encouraged by every means within my power my fellow Catholics and especially that group of young men who went to defend by force of arms the rights of the sovereign pontiff to these properties, which we consider as the common inheritance of the head and all members of the great Catholic family. You may easily understand, therefore, that even while laying aside all other questions I could hardly consider myself as persona grata in the welcome of our estimable and distinguished visitors when that step must necessarily be considered as intended for the government which they represent.

I regret to write these thingsand offend, perhaps, the sentiment which the Italians naturally entertain for their land. We Canadians of French origin love France so dearly that we gladly shut our eyes to anything wrong which may have been done, and consequently we can well understand the feelings of the Italian colony, but if, as fellow-citizens, they are offended by my action, let them remember that, believing what we believe, we cannot help resenting the treatment inflicted by the government of Italy on the head of Christianity.

Granted a Temporary Injunction.

OMAHA, Neb., Aug. 1.—Judge Bundy, in the United States court, yesterday granted a temporary injunction restraining the enforcement of the maximum freight law, which was to have gone into effect to-day. This restores the old schedule of rates until the case is heard on its merits in October.

Appointed Acting Superintendent of Police.

CHICAGO, Aug. 1.—Mayor Harrison yesterday afternoon issued an order appointing Michael P. Brennan acting superintendent of police to take the place of Maj. R. W. McLaughey, whose resignation goes into effect this morning.

MUST PAY THE TAX.

Secretary Carlisle Refuses to Grant Relief to the Distillers and Their Bankers.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 1.—The visit to Washington of Thomas H. Shirley, of Louisville, in behalf of the western banks who are carrying loans upon whisky in bond, was not successful. Mr. Shirley is a lawyer and represents in this matter banks in Louisville, Cincinnati, Chicago and Pittsburgh. He came to supplement the efforts of the committee of distillers, which pleaded with Secretary Carlisle for an extension of the bonded period, but failed to convince the secretary that he could grant their request.

Mr. Shirley based his argument for relief upon wholly different grounds. He claimed that the department could and should give the distillers and the banks which hold their paper the right to export the product until the tax was paid. In the operation of the law, Mr. Shirley explained, it happens that from twenty-five to sixty days elapse between the date on which the bonded period expires, and that on which the revenue officials actually put the penalty for failure to pay the tax in force; that is, the clerical labor connected with the operation requires or covers at least that period. Mr. Shirley insisted that until the actual payment of the tax took place the constitutional right of export could be exercised. What he asked the secretary to do, therefore, was to sanction the exportation of whisky in bond, even after the termination of the exact period of bond, until the day when payment was demanded. But Mr. Shirley was no more successful than the distillers had been, and he has gone to New York to try to raise the amount necessary to relieve the distillers and banks. The whisky upon which the tax will be due in a few days is that which went into bond in 1890, and a large sum of money will be necessary to release it.

FRANCO-SIAMESE MATTERS.

The Blockade Will be Continued Until France's Demands are Satisfied.

PARIS, Aug. 1.—The ambiguous language of yesterday's cabinet council in accepting Siam's surrender has excited much comment. It is generally understood that this tone was adopted for the purpose of soothing international susceptibilities. It is stated on high authority that France intends to take decisive steps to secure Siam's carrying out the terms of the ultimatum. The blockade will be continued until France's demands are satisfied. The French force now present in Siamese waters is believed to be sufficient to make the blockade effective.

A prominent Paris merchant who owns warehouses in Bangkok, in an interview to-day, expressed the opinion that decisive action is necessary to restore the prestige which France enjoyed in Siam after the commercial treaty of 1860. French trade has recently not been heavy, it is said, in consequence of English and German enterprises and intrigues to destroy French influence. He believed that the strong tone of the ultimatum would tend greatly to restore the influence of France in Siam.

The general opinion here is that the issue of the controversy is a triumph for France over English diplomacy. It is believed that China will adopt her customary course of Laissez Faire, and not meddle with the matter.

The Danger of Bloodshed at Bangkok Not Over.

LONDON, Aug. 1.—A dispatch to the Central News from Bangkok, dated Monday, 7 p. m., says: "The uneasiness among the people here, far from lessening, is increasing. Seven more French gunboats have arrived at Koh-Si-Chang, making a total of thirteen now here. Negotiations are still going on, but the progress made is not reported. The intentions of the French are awaited with fear and apprehension.

Rear-Admiral Humann, commanding the French squadron, has issued a second blockade notice, to take effect three days from Saturday. He will order the British war ships, Pallas and Swift, now lying off Bangkok to go outside the Blockade limits.

M. Pavie, the French minister resident, has gone to Saigon and Rear-Admiral Humann is under direct orders from Paris. Unless the French government interposes more quickly an attack on Bangkok seems certain. The trading community is surprised that Humann is still allowed a free hand."

France Demands Guarantees.

LONDON, Aug. 1.—The Paris correspondent of the Central News says that it has been learned from good authority that France demands as security from Siam that the terms of the ultimatum will be carried out, the temporary custody of Chantaboon, a town near the gulf of Siam; also that Siam shall establish no military station at certain named places near the frontier of Cambodia or within a certain distance of the Me-Kong river.

Censorship Over Cipher Telegrams Removed.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 1.—The censorship over cipher telegrams sent from Brazil to the United States has been removed. Information to that effect has been received at the state department from Minister Conger who is at Petropolis, the port of Rio de Janeiro. It is understood that the censorship did not apply to messages in cipher sent by foreign representatives to their home governments, but only to cipher messages of a private character.

A Significant Showing.

TOPEKA, Kan., Aug. 1.—Returns received at the headquarters of the several women's political organs in this city show that the women vote at the school elections in the country districts of Kansas last Thursday shows an increase of about 100 per cent. The women suffragists claim that this showing is a great victory for them, proving that the large majority of the women of the state are desirous of a full election franchise.

OUT FOR CARNAGE.

A Small Army of Indians Off Their Reservations,

HOLD NIGHTLY REVELS IN THE WOODS

Whisky Plentiful and Flowing Freely—White Settlers Afraid of Their Lives—Just on the Verge of an Outbreak.

WEST SUPERIOR, Wis., Aug. 1.—Special advices from Sheel Lake and Spooner, in Washburn county, on the Chicago, Milwaukee, St. Paul & Omaha, say that between 400 and 500 Indians have congregated and may don the war paint. These Indians have come from the reservations in the northern part of Minnesota and Wisconsin. They secured special permits from the government to go off on a tour to pick blueberries, which are found in very large quantities in Washburn county, and they have taken advantage of this freedom to a dangerous and unusual degree.

In the vicinity of their present location there are several settlements of Indians and they have gathered their red brethren about them until now a small-sized army could easily be mustered out of their numbers. Three squaw houses and several dancing platforms have been built seven miles from the lake, and the nightly revels of these Indians make the woods resound. Whisky is plentiful and flows freely. Many of the Indians are armed, and threats upon the lives of settlers have been made by them. They have gone so far as to raise their rifles to shoot, and in many instances the escape of settlers from death has been narrow. Trouble is expected.

BASEBALL.

National League and American Association Clubs.

The following games were played yesterday:

AT ST. LOUIS.

St. Louis. ... 0 0 0 2 1 2 4 1 1—11
Pittsburghs . ... 1 1 1 0 1 0 0 0 0—4
Batteries—Breitenstein and Peitz and Gunson; Gumbert and Sugden

AT LOUISVILLE.

Cincinnatis... 3 0 3 0 0 0 5 3 *—14
Louisvilles .. 0 1 5 0 0 0 1 0 0—7
Batteries—Sullivan, Dwyer and Vaughn; Stratton and Grim and Clarke

AT CHICAGO.

Clevelands ..... 2 2 0 2 1 0 4 4 1—16
Chicagos..... 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 2 0—9
Batteries—Clarkson and O'Connor; Hutchison and Kittridge.

AT WASHINGTON

Baltimores. ..... 1 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 1—3
Washingtons. 0 0 0 0 1 0 1 0 0—2
Batteries—Mullane and Robinson; Meekin and Farrell.

AT BOSTON.

Bostons. ..... 1 1 0 0 3 0 1 1 0—7
Philadelphias'. .. 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 4—4
Batteries—Nichols and Bennett; Keefe and Clements, Taylor and Cross

AT BROOKLYN

Brooklyns ... .. 0 0 0 1 1 0 1 0 0—3
New Yorks. . . . . 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0
Batteries—Stein and Kinslow, Baldwin and Doyle.

Games Scheduled for To-Day.

New Yorks at Brooklyn.
Philadelphias at Boston
Baltimores at Washington.
Cincinnatis at Louisville.
Clevelands at Chicago.
Pittsburghs at St. Louis.

Southern League Games.

At New Orleans—Mobiles, 4, New Orleans, 1.
At Augusta—Macons, 6, Augustas, 2.

WAR ON THE PLAINS.

Trouble Between Large and Small Cattlemen.

PARIS, Tex., Aug. 1.—From a gentleman who arrived here last night from the Panhandle it is learned that trouble of a most serious nature is on between the large and the small cattlemen. At Childress Saturday morning one of the Beckham brothers, who own a ranch and who are leading the fight against the English syndicates which control the large ranches, killed a man in the Denver depot. He was surrounded by rangers and officers, but he stood them off until his friends came to his relief, when he was rescued. Rangers are scouring the country to protect life and property, and both sides are up in arms ready for a conflict. The troubles seem to have grown out of the big ranchmen having fenced up the water.

A Bloody Riot in Mexico Over Boundary Lines.

OAXACA, Mexico, Aug. 1.—There has been trouble brewing for some time between the towns of Mazaltepec and Tejalapa, this state, over the question of boundary lines. These differences caused the development of two opposing factions of the rival towns, and has resulted in a pitched battle between them.

The riot was one of the most exciting that ever occurred in this part of Mexico. A number of people on both sides were killed and many wounded. The authorities here were notified of the trouble, and a large detachment of state troops have been sent to quell the disturbance and prevent further bloodshed.

Wife Murder and Attempted Suicide.

RHINELANDER, Wis., Aug. 1.—Sunday night G. W. Smith, a contractor, shot and instantly killed his wife, and then put two bullets into his own breast. He is still alive, but his death is expected. Some time ago Mrs. Smith left here on account of cruel treatment, and recently Smith tried to bring on a reconciliation.

A Detective Shot and Killed.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Aug. 1.—Officer James A. Harvey, of the detective force of this city, was shot by George A. Barnes yesterday. The officer was about to arrest Barnes, when the later pulled a revolver, killing Harvey instantly.

Paid Admissions to the World's Fair.

CHICAGO, Aug. 1.—The paid admissions at the World's fair yesterday were 70,847.

WHY?

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THE seal of truth is not impressed upon the latest news from Bering Sea.

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TELEGRAPHIC NOTES.

—The First national bank of Ashland, Wis., has suspended.

—The National bank of Cottage Grove, Ore., suspended yesterday morning.

—The shipment of fractional silver coin from the 1st to the 26th ult. amounted to $2,235,715.

—The Wyandotte County bank of Upper Sandusky, O., has gone into the hands of receivers.

—It has been agreed that the French blockade of the Siamese coast shall be raised immediately.

—The private banking house of N. M. Crane & Co., of Hornellsville, N. Y., closed its doors yesterday.

—With yesterday morning the savings banks in New York city, as a rule, took advantage of the sixty-day time clause.

—The striking glass-workers at Greensburg, Pa., have accepted the 5 per cent. reduction in their wages and returned to work.

—The Scottdale (Pa.) Rolling Mill Co., employing 200 men, has signed the Amalgamated scale. Work will resume in a few days.

—The president has appointed Charles B. Morton, of Maine, fourth auditor of the treasury, vice John R. Lynch, of Mississippi, resigned.

—The First national bank of Kendallville, Ind., which suspended payment June 1, 1893, has been permitted to reopen its doors for business.

—In Pittsburgh seven of the Jones & Laughlin mills have been closed down. A large number of men are idle with no immediate prospect of work.

—The steamship Spree, sailing from Southampton, yesterday, carries $50,000 American double eagles consigned to August Belmont & Co., of New York.

—The steamship City of Alexandria, from Havre, brought $268,800 Spanish gold to Muller, Schall & Co., and $192,000 to Lawrence, Funneure & Co., of New York.

—The issue of standard silver dollars from the mints and treasury offices during the week ended July 29 was 432,300; for the corresponding period of last year, 440,005.

—The run on the Dollar savings bank of Youngstown, O., has entirely subsided, and it is thought confidence in the local banks has been restored in the public mind.

—Official returns which have just been issued at St. Petersburg show a marked increase in the ravages of cholera in the parts of the empire where the disease is epidemic.

—The body of Miss Genevieve Schultz, aged 15, who had been missing from her home in Batavia, N. Y., since Saturday night, was found yesterday in Tonawanda creek with several bruises on the neck and face.

—For the past week the price of wheat has declined rapidly and from one cent to three cents a day, and yesterday, in St Louis, cash No. 2 red sold down to 52½ cents, or nearly 21 cents lower than this time last year.

—The house of J. H. Langevein, a farmer near Olga, N. D., was burned through lighting a fire with kerosene. Two of the children were burned to death, and Langevein and his wife were so badly injured that their recovery is doubtful.

—The report that 5,000 Wheeling (W. Va.) workmen are out of employment owing to the financial depression, is untrue. With the exception of the regular summer shut-down for repairs no mills have closed and there is no lack of employment.

—Reports to Kansas police authorities state that tramps and burglars along the line of road traveled by the stream of idle workmen from Colorado have taken advantage of the movement and are plundering residences in towns and farmhouses in the country.

—Owing to the representations made to M. Develle, French foreign minister, by Lord Dufferin, the British ambassador to France, the question of a neutral zone between the French possessions in the Siamese peninsula and Burmah and the Shan states has been settled satisfactorily.

—The Central News of London publishes the following figures as to the number of cases and deaths from cholera in Naples: From July 19 to July 23 there were 396 choleraic cases registered and 107 deaths. The daily average was 99 cases and 15 deaths. On July 22, 45 fresh cases and 24 deaths were reported.

—Senator Hansborough says concerning the present financial depression and the call of an extra session of congress: "The trouble is not so much the result of needed legislation as it is of a well-grounded fear that the Cleveland mugocracy will put the un-American portions of their Chicago platform into the statute books."

—Acting Mint Director Preston characterizes as a "wild heresy" the proposition of State Attorney-General Engley of Colorado to establish a state bullion depository and issue certificates against the silver bullion. The scheme is not volutive of any state enterprise, but is regarded by the treasury as a temporary make-shift and impossible.

—T. L. Cardin, manager of the Northern Pacific Elevator Co., was asked as to the truth of the story that a gigantic swindle had been perpetrated, and said that it was notably unfortunate that it should be published at this time, as everything was progressing satisfactorily for a settlement of the trouble into which the company had been plunged, but that it was widely exaggerated.

—Mrs. Lucille Rodney, accompanied by her husband, G. B. Rodney, and W. W. Holliday, arrived in Chicago Sunday afternoon from Galveston, Tex., having walked the entire distance. The trip was made for a $5,000 purse and sundry considerations. Mrs. Rodney wore out eight pairs of shoes, and averaged twenty three miles a day. She left Galveston May 10, and was due in Chicago August 1.

THE COLD STORAGE FIRE

Being Investigated by the Cook County Grand Jury.

CHICAGO, Aug. 1.—The grand jury began investigating the Cold Storage warehouse fire, in which seventeen men lost their lives, yesterday morning.

Thirty-two witnesses were subpoenaed, most of them being relatives of the dead firemen. Among others who were examined were Chief Sweeny of the city fire department, Lieut. Dennis Fitzpatrick, E. C. Shankland, of the mechanical department, World's fair, and a number of firemen. These witnesses had all been examined at the coroner's inquest.

Two witnesses who had not been examined by the coroner's jury were examined, they were Jos. Dunlop and John C. Eckel, managing editor of the Dispatch. They were questioned relative to an article published in the Dispatch last week in which the statement was made that a short time before the fire the cold storage people had caused to be removed to a West Side storehouse goods to the amount of $3,000. They said the source of their information was J. J. Dugan, formerly a superintendent of the fire construction.

Neither Fire Marshal Murphy nor D. F. Burnham, chief of construction at Jackson park, have been subpoenaed to appear before the jury.

Flags at Half-Mast.

WORLD'S FAIR GROUNDS, CHICAGO, Aug. 1.—The flags on the state buildings in the group at the north end of the grounds were at half-mast yesterday, while the handsome setting to the structures—the New York building—was closed to visitors and draped in mourning out of respect to the memory of Donald McNaughton, the executive commissioner of the Empire state, who died Sunday night.

ALL that honesty, experience and skill can do to produce a perfect pill, has been employed in making DeWitt's Little Early Risers. The result is a specific for sick headache, biliousness and constipation. W. F. Neisler.

THE Rev. Henry A. Adams formerly an Episcopal clergyman in Buffalo and New York, has joined the Roman church. His former Bishop found that Canon No. 5 was loaded and immediately got even by "firing" the Rev. Henry.

THE Maharajah Gaekwar of Baroda, Gopal Rao, or "King Gopal," is coming to the World's Fair. Gopal is a poor devil who struggles along on $7,500,000 a year. The concessionaires ought to buy of this.

THE NEWS OF THE DAY

Rich Lumber-Mill Owners in a New Role.

OTHER BANK OFFICIALS INDICTED.

Burned to the Water's Edge—Costly Flames in San Francisco—Chinamen Ordered Deported—Trouble Feared at Volinia, Mich.

Rich Lumber Mill Owners in a New Role.

ASHLAND, Wis., Aug. 1.—The conflict between the mill owners and the lumber shovers has assumed a different aspect. Immediately after dinner the proprietors of the different saw mills here, including Judge Cochrane, Alderman Payne and ex-Mayor Durfee went to the Shores mill and began assisting Shores to load lumber on its boat. It was a curious sight to see wealthy lumber mill owners shoving lumber, and the striking union men made no attempt to molest them. About thirty special police were sworn in at noon and guarded the mill owners while they were at work. It is feared that the man who was injured in the riot yesterday morning will die. He was struck on the head with a hammer by a union man. His assailant has been held for assault with intent to kill. The other union men arrested have been arraigned for rioting.

More Bank Officials Indicted.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Aug. 1.—The federal grand jury was in session here July 26 and 27, and it seems returned several additional indictments in the Commercial bank case. An indictment in three counts was returned against Wm H. Scoggin, assistant cashier of the Commercial bank, charging him with having wrongfully certified three checks, on which they were paid by the Commercial national bank.

An additional indictment in three counts was returned against Frank Porterfield, charging him with taking up a note signed by himself and others with the bank's funds; and also one against Frank Porterfield and George A. Dazey, charging them jointly with having conspired to ruin the Commercial national bank. The charge being that Dazey presented and Porterfield honored worthless drafts. An indictment was also found against George C. Childress, cashier of the Second national bank of Columbia.

Burned to the Water's Edge.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Aug. 1.—The steamer John K. Fowler, burned to the water's edge at 5:30 o'clock last evening while tied up on the Indiana shore one mile below Albany. The mate, Wm. Mathey, was the only person on board at the time of the fire. He escaped in safety. The boat was a stern-wheeler, valued at $10,000 and was owned by Capt. A. T. Armstrong, of New Albany.

Costly Flames in San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 1.—What narrowly escaped being a big conflagration broke out at 6 o'clock last evening in the large wholesale house of fancy dry-goods of Beyer & Reich, at 211 Bush street. The fire was confined to this store and the adjoining store of Buckingham & Hecht, boot and shoe dealers, but the loss will reach a quarter of a million.

Chinamen Ordered Deported.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Aug. 1.—By a decision of the Geary act, Federal Judge Ross declared the section providing for the imprisonment at hard labor unconstitutional and an unjust punishment where no crime was committed. The rest of the act was declared valid and the Chinamen were ordered deported.

Trouble Feared at Volinia, Mich.

DULUTH, Mich., Aug. 1.—Sheriff Showey received a dispatch from the deputy at Volinia saying all the men at the mines in that vicinity are out on a strike. Trouble is feared and the sheriff will go to Volinia to-day. No further particulars has been received.

The Best Dressing

AYER'S HAIR VIGOR

Prevents the hair from becoming thin, faded, gray, or wiry, and preserves its richness, luxuriance, and color to an advanced period of life. It cures itching humors, and keeps the scalp cool, moist, and healthy.

Ayer's Hair Vigor.

Sold by Druggists and Perfumers.

THE VANDALIA LINE has opened a city ticket office at 110 Library Block with the I. C. and P., D. & E. railroads. A full line of local and coupon tickets to Peoria, and makes close connection for all points north and northwest; only one night out to Denver, Pueblo and Colorado Springs; and via Terre Haute and Indianapolis for all points east, north and south; only one night out for New York City. Harvest excursions August 22, September 12 and October 10. Be sure and call for further information, maps and tickets before starting on a journey.

T. PRNIWELL, City Tkt Agt.

Administrator's Sale of Real Estate.

Public notice is hereby given that by virtue of a warrant and decree of the county court of Macon County, Illinois, on petition of the undersigned administrator of the estate of Frances Stashford rendered at the July term, A. D. 1893, of said court, to-wit, on the 14th day of July, 1893, I shall on the 30th day of August, A. D. 1893, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. of said day, commencing at 10 o'clock a. m., sell at public auction at the north door of the court house in Decatur, Illinois, the following real estate, situated in the County of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit: Forty-four feet off of the north side of lot three (3) in block one (1) in E. O. Gibb's addition to Decatur, Macon county, Illinois, as described in the deed from William Stashford to Frances Stashford recorded in book 105, page 635.

But described with greater certainty as forty-four (44) feet in width off of the north side of said lot three in block one in E. O. Gibbs' addition to Decatur, in the county and state aforesaid.

Terms of Sale—One half cash, and the balance of the purchase money to be due and payable April 26, A. D. 1894. Deferred payment to be secured by personal security and mortgage on the premises sold, with the privilege to the purchaser of paying cash, deferred payment to draw interest at 6 per cent. per annum.

EDWIN PARK, Administrator.

July 31-6tw

CLOSING OUT SALE!

WE have quite a good deal of Hot Weather Clothing which we are closing out. Look at the Bargains in the following list:

All Straw Hats, And we have a very few left, go AT COST.

Hot Weather Coats, From 50c up to $8. We have some elegant Silk Coats and Vests for nobby dressers

Negligee Shirts, In Soft and Unlaundered. Our French Crepe Negligee at 50c, is a dandy, is cool and washes well. Some elegant things in Half Laundered Shirts left, all go at ridiculously low prices.

A Good Assortment Of Summer Neckwear to select from.

This Is Trouser Month, And we have many odd Pants, suitable to wear out your present coat and vest, which we can sell you from $1.50 to $7.50.

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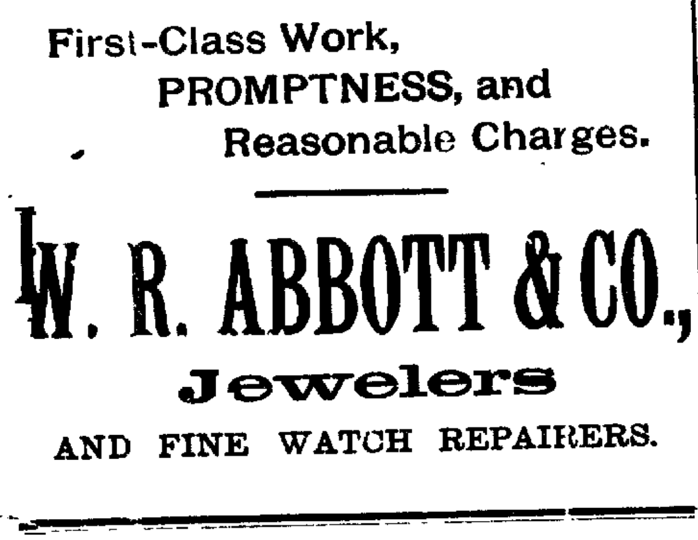

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Sealed Bids.

[illegible] is hereby given that the contract [illegible] reservoir for the filter plant [illegible] water works of the city of Decatur, [illegible] with all matters pertaining [illegible] let to the lowest responsible [illegible] sealed bids will be received [illegible] until four o'clock p. m. of [illegible] day July A. D. 1893 ... ning of said reservoir will be constructed strictly in accordance and specifications for the [illegible] in the office of the city clerk, [illegible] inspection and approval of said city.

[illegible] will be required to furnish all [illegible] of whatever nature required, [illegible] together with all matters pertaining thereto.

[illegible] will be required to enter into [illegible] said city, which said contract [illegible] sufficient and proper covenants for the [illegible] of said reservoir [illegible] compliance with said plans and [illegible] and shall contain such other [illegible] and limitations as shall [illegible] and about the premises, and will be required to give a good [illegible] in the sum of five hundred dollars.

The city [illegible] reserves the right to permit [illegible] committee of said council to [illegible] any and all bids after four [illegible] Monday, the 31st day of July A. [illegible] purpose of said committee mak[illegible] all bids received, to the city [illegible].

[illegible] sufficient bond or certified check, [illegible] dollars, must accom[pany] each bid.

All bids together with all matters pertaining thereto, will be submitted to the city council, and said city council reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Decatur, Ill[inois], July 8 A. D. 1893
L. F. SKELLEY, City Clerk.

July 8-d10d

Sealed Bids.

Public notice is hereby given that the contract to make the [illegible] necessary excavations in which to lay the water [illegible] which has been ordered laid by the city of Decatur, Illinois, together with the refilling of the trenches after the pipe is laid, will be let to the lowest responsible bidder, and that sealed bids will be received from the date until four o'clock p. m. of Monday, the 7th day of A[ugust], A. D. 1893, at the office of the City Clerk of said city.

That the [illegible] ting of the necessary trenches and shall be done strictly in accordance with the plans and specifications for same, now on file in the office of the city clerk, and subject to the inspection, direction and approval of said city.

The contractor will be required to furnish all labor and material of whatever nature required [illegible] trenches, and refill the same, together with all matters pertaining thereto.

The said contractor will furnish all pipe and lay the [illegible] so constructed.

The contractor will be required to enter into a contract with said city which said contract shall contain sufficient and proper covenants and conditions for the construction of such trenches, [illegible] the same, and shall contain such other conditions and limitations as [illegible] in and about the premises. [illegible] will be required to give good and sufficient bond in the sum of five hundred dollars for the faithful performance of such contract.

A good and sufficient bond or certified check in the sum of three hundred dollars must accompany each bid.

All bids [illegible] be submitted to said Council, and said Council reserves the right to reject any and all bids thereof.

Decatur Ill[inois], July 15th, 1893.
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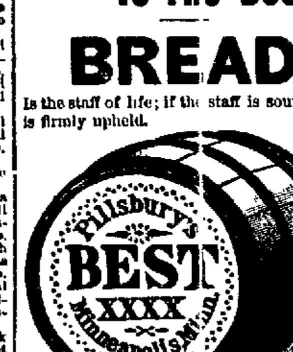

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Whereas, by satisfactory evidence to the undersigned, it has been made to appear that "The National Bank of Decatur," in the city of Decatur, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, has complied with all the provisions of the statutes of the United States, required to be complied with before an association shall be authorized to commence the business of banking. Now, therefore, I, James H. Eckels, comptroller of the currency, do hereby certify that "The National Bank of Decatur," in the city of Decatur, in the county of Macon, and the state of Illinois, is authorized to commence the business of banking as provided in Section Fifty-one Hundred and Sixty-nine of the Revised Statutes of the United States.

[Seal.] In testimony whereof, witness my hand and seal of office this 1st day of June, 1893.
[Signed.] JAMES H. ECKELS, Comptroller of the Currency.
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TUESDAY EVE., AUG. 1, 1893

IT is reported that Secretary of the Navy Herbert will advocate the building of new war ships.

IT ought to take Congress only about one week to organize and repeal the silver purchase clause of the Sherman act, if that act is solely responsible for the present deplorable state of things.

EVERYBODY should familiarize himself with the record of the Democratic party on the silver question and then he will be able to come to some conclusion as to what the country might expect from that party if left to itself without the influence of the Republican honest money vote in Congress.

THE attendance at the World's Fair, Sunday, was the saddest failure that concern has yet suffered. There are a great many people who have become disgusted with the Sunday opening question. It would have been worth millions to the fair had the action of congress been accepted as final on the Sunday question.

IN his letter of acceptance Mr. Cleveland took the pains to say that "though the subject of tariff legislation involves a question of markets it also involves a question of morals." He seems to have lost track of this very important part of his letter since the industries of the country have become alarmed over the result of the election.

THE bank depositors who have been playing havoc with a lot of banks by withdrawing their deposits have never made a run on the assessors. In fact the assessors books in some instances did not show money enough on deposit in an entire county to cripple a single bank if it were all on deposit there and withdrawn in ten minutes.

A PULASKI COUNTY farmer sold his farm for $3,000 and went to New York on a visit, carrying his money with him. He had some dealings with some fellows, who gave the "Sucker" the best end of the trade and a few days since he returned home and found that instead of having a gold brick worth more than $3,000 he had a common red brick.

THE St. Louis *Post-Dispatch* figures out that the present silver law is a law on the principle of protection, just as the McKinley law is, and then it breaks out in the following robust conclusion: "Protection is a failure. Prosperity founded upon it is sham prosperity." What strikes the average reader is, if all this is true, why are the Democrats so painfully slow in giving the country a better system?

JOHN W. BABBY, of Fairbury, Neb., published last week in the Chicago *Tribune* enough of the proceedings from the *Congressional Record* to explode forever the free silverite lie that silver was surreptitiously demonetized in 1873. The discussion was extended, open and fair, and the *Record* shows that more than once it was openly stated that the purpose was to demonetize the silver dollar which had gone into disuse.

SENATOR ALLISON, while he has no sympathy with the free silverites and helped to defeat them on several occasions, speaking of the present situation and the effort in some quarters to do away with silver entirely, says: "There is a school of statesmen and publicists in our country who desire to force us to the single gold standard. This ought not to be done, because there is not enough silver takers singly to transact the business of the world."

COMING, as he does from North Dakota, the interview of Senator Hansbrough published in the Chicago *Tribune*, Monday, is worth perusing. The Senator gets at the facts and in a way that shows he has not allowed himself to be caught in the net of those who are the enemies of silver in any event and in any form, and who have seized upon the present stringency, to make war on silver, by exaggerations attributing to the present silver law responsibilities for the present depression which are not due to it and which will not disappear if the law is repealed. The Senator said:

Congress convenes in special session one week from to-morrow. The object of this mid-summer meeting, according to the proclamation of President Cleveland, is to enact legislation which will remedy the present financial stringency and relieve commercial stagnation. A laudable object indeed, but Mr. Cleveland will find it difficult to bring prosperity to the land by a simple act of Congress. The trouble is not so much the result of needed legislation as it is of a well grounded fear that the Cleveland mugocracy will put the un-American portions of their Chicago platform into the statute books. Congress may repeal the so-called Sherman law and still there will not be a revival of business until Mr. Cleveland makes known his purpose with respect to the economic features of future national policy. When it was announced last November that Mr. Cleveland had been elected, the great businesses of the country began to "pull down the blinds," and when it was known a few months later that the Senate of the United States, as well as the House of Representatives, was also in the hands of the Cleveland party, the front doors to our great enterprises were closed and since then the transactions have been upon the most limited scale and the business of the country has been carried on upon the "hand to mouth" principle. There was a semi-official announcement from Buzzard's Bay the other day that Mr. Cleveland was greatly "exasperated" over the idea that some people held that this special session of Congress would be expected to consider the tariff question. It may be that even Mr. Cleveland has discovered the real cause of the present business disturbance and that when he declares (semi-officially) that there will be no tariff tinkering at the special session, he is simply preparing himself for the important declaration that the present tariff laws shall not be disturbed during his term of office, unless it be in the direction of such increase in duties as will lessen our imports of merchandise and thereby decrease our gold exports. If Mr. Cleveland would restore lost confidence he can easily do so by proclaiming that the McKinley law shall remain untouched, and that other legislation under which the country has prospered shall go unaltered.

They Talk Free Silver.

We have been told that no Democrat voted for the Sherman law. The reason is that every Democrat favored free coinage, and now when it comes to the question of repealing the Sherman law a majority of the Democrats in congress are opposed [to] it [illegible] unless they can get free silver to [illegible] as a substitute.

Ex-Senator [Re]agan, of Texas, says "we will not vote for the repeal of the Sherman law or any of its clauses unless a free silver act is an absolute certainty."

Senator Vance, of North Carolina, says: "I am unalterably opposed to the repeal of the Sherman act unless some substitute is enacted. The Democratic platform demands the repeal of the Sherman law as an obstruction to free coinage of silver. The obvious meaning is, if the law was out of the way we could have free coinage. That is one of the things I propose to put in place of the Sherman law and I propose to vote against repeal unless that be done. If my party is opposed to that then the utterances at Chicago were intended to deceive. If it was sincere, then I am trying to stand on the platform."

WASHINGTON LETTER.

[*From Our Regular Correspondent.*]

WASHINGTON, July 31, 1893.

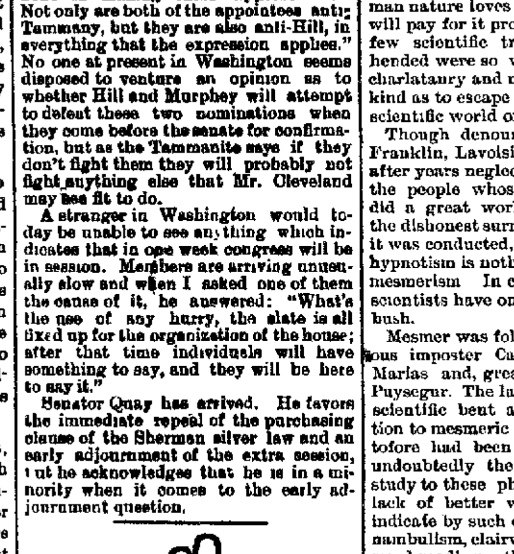
Secretary Carlisle's friends would like the public to belive that the Secretary and Mr. Cleveland are on the best of terms, but the known facts indicate directly the contrary. It is understood here that Mr. Cleveland's message to Congress has been completed, and he has at no time since he called the extra session consulted with Secretary Carlisle, although there is every reason to suppose that the message is entirely devoted to subjects belonging to the department over which Mr. Carlisle presides. One of Mr. Carlisle's assistants was summoned to Gray Gables to furnish Mr. Cleveland with desired financial information, but Mr. Carlisle did not go, altough it would have been just as easy for him to have gone as it was for the Assistant Secretary to go, but it was the Assistant Secretary and not Mr. Carlisle who was invited.

Another thing pointing unmistakably to a lack of that confidence between the two men which should exist between a President and his Secretary of the Treasury, was Secretary Carlisle's positive statement, made to a personal friend, not an hour before Private Secretary Thurber made public the appointments of James T. Kilbreth to be Collector and Walter H. Bunn to be Appraiser at the port of New York—two of the most important appointments yet made by Mr. Cleveland, from a strictly political point of view—that he did not think the appointments would be made until after Mr. Cleveland returned to Washington. Mr. Thurber did not even take the trouble to go from his office in the White House to Secretary Carlisle's office in the Treasury building, scarcely a stone's throw away, to inform Mr. Carlisle that these important appointments had been finally decided upon, and the first intimation that Secretary Carlisle received of them was from the newspapers. To appreciate the full significance of this snub, for it was clearly intended as such, it must be remembered that both of the officials named are subordinates of the Secretary of the Treasury. Whether there is any foundation for the rumor which will not down, that Secretary Carlisle intends to leave the cabinet is more than your correspondent will undertake to say, but it certainly looks as though Mr. Cleveland was trying to freeze him out.

"If Senators Hill and Murphy do not fight the administration now," said a Tammy Democrat. spe king of appointments of collector and appraiser of the port of New York, "it may be considered certain that they will not fight it at all. It will be impossible for Mr. Cleveland to more directly insult them than he has done in making these appointments. Not only are both of the appointees anti-Tammany, but they are also anti-Hill, in everything that the expression applies." No one at present in Washington seems disposed to venture an opinion as to whether Hill and Murphey will attempt to defeat these two nominations when they come before the senate for confirmation, but as the Tammanite says if they don't fight them they will probably not fight anything else that Mr. Cleveland may see fit to do.

A stranger in Washington would to-day be unable to see anything which indicates that in one week congress will be in session. Members are arriving unusually slow and when I asked one of them the cause of it, he answered: "What's the use of any hurry, the slate is all fixed up for the organization of the house; after that time individuals will have something to say, and they will be here to say it."

Senator Quay has arrived. He favors the immediate repeal of the purchasing clause of the Sherman silver law and an early adjournment of the extra session, but he acknowledges that he is in a minority when it comes to the early adjournment question.



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HISTORY OF HYPNOTISM.

Its Obscure Origin in India and Its Progress Up to Date.

How largely European thought has turned towards the subject of hypnotism is shown by the facts that there are two schools and half a dozen societies devoted exclusively to its study, a scientific journal published monthly in Paris upon its progress, and at least fifty prominent physicians and scientists who are making it a special field of investigation. Since 1885 forty-six books have been written upon it, so that hypnotism can be truly said to have quite a goodly literature of its own. As America has caught the contagion of research, it is more than probable that the next decade will see the figures mentioned largely increased by American societies, newspapers and literary work.

That people could be put into a trance or artificial sleep has been known for centuries. In the east as far back as 500 B. C. fakirs have practiced the same tricks as are being tried to-day by the physicians of Europe and America. Both Hindoo and Chinese writers of that time referred to these curious psychological experiments in very much the same manner as the daily papers do to Dr. Charcot at the present time. According to Dr. Bjornstrom, a leading Swedish physician and author, there is a sect in Egypt that has practiced hypnotism for forty centuries. And to cap the climax an enthusiastic New York theosophist claims that the deep sleep into which Adam was thrown at the time of Eve's creation was merely a case of mesmeric sleep.

Hypnotism made no great impression upon the European mind until the beginning of the eighteenth century, when in the province of Dauphine, France, the entire population went crazy on the subject. At one time not less than ten thousand people of that district imagined that they were prophets directly inspired from Heaven. From that time on there has been an uninterrupted line of hypnotizers and hypnotized, amateur and professional, genuine and fraudulent.

Only in the latter part of the eighteenth century was there any attempt made to explain the phenomena from a scientific standpoint. Before that time they were regarded as the manifestations of good spirits or of devils. In 1773, for example, a famous ex-monk known as Father Gassner established a spiritual sanitarium in Regensburg, where he is said to have drawn around him ten thousand. His treatment was simplicity itself. He would mesmerize his patient until the latter went into convulsions. This showed conclusively diabolic possession and was considered almost miraculous by his followers. By restoring the patient to consciousness he was believed to have exorcised the devil and effected a cure.

This curious field was first brought into the highest prominence by the celebrated Swiss physician, Dr Friedrich Mesmer. A strange combination of discoverer and quack, of brilliant intellectual powers and deficient moral qualities, he kept Europe in a turmoil from about 1770 to 1795. The mere fact that the words mesmerize and mesmerism, coined in his honor, have endured the wear and tear of more than a century, bears witness to the power of the man's personality.

The expressions animal magnetism and personal magnetism were his creations and are as much in vogue to-day as in his luxurious parlors on the Place Vendome. He seems to have known P. T. Barnum's great principle that "human nature loves to be humbugged and will pay for it proportionately," for the few scientific truths which he apprehended were so weighted down with charlatanry and mummery of the idlest kind as to escape the attention of the scientific world of his time.

Though denounced by such men as Franklin, Lavoisier and Bailly, and in after years neglected and forgotten by the people whose idol he once was, he did a great work for the race despite the dishonest surroundings under which it was conducted, for, after all, modern hypnotism is nothing more nor less than mesmerism. In creating the new name scientists have only beaten about the bush.

Mesmer was followed by the notorious imposter Cagliostro, by d'Eslon, Marlas and, greatest, the Marquis de Puysegur. The last named had a strong scientific bent and early called attention to mesmeric features which theretofore had been overlooked. He was undoubtedly the first to give careful study to these phenomena, which, for lack of better words, we sum up and indicate by such clumsy terms as somnambulism, clairvoyance, clairaudience, mind-reading, thought transference, will control and the like.

Since his time comparatively little new and original work has been done in this field of research, but an immense amount has been accomplished in studying details, ascertaining conditions and classifying phenomena. It will probably surprise the reader to know that over three hundred large volumes have been written upon the subject by scientific men of high standing, and that the work goes steadily on. Among the more eminent investigators may be mentioned Dr. James Braid, Dr. Hack Tuck and Dr. Ireland, of England; the late Dr. George N. Beard, Dr. Grimes and Dr. William F. Hammond, of the United States; Baron von Reichenbach, Dr. Preyer and Prof. Weinhold, of Germany; Prof. Hansen, of Denmark; Dr. Bjornstrom, of Sweden; Prof. Azam, Dr. Broca, Dr. Liebault, Prof. Richet, and last in point of time, but one of the greatest in talent, Prof. Charcot, the neurologist, of France.

When a person is hypnotized he may be in any one of three states—the cataleptic, the lethargic, or the somnambulistic. In the first the body is immobile and apparently dead, but the muscular sense, vision, and especially hearing, retain their powers in part, if not in whole. In the lethargic state there is complete insensibility of the skin and external tissues. The third, or somnambulistic, is the one made familiar by lecturers and charlatans. There is insensibility to pain, but a quickening of the senses to a high degree and a remarkable sharpening of the powers of the mind.

It is claimed by several leading hypnotizers of Europe that the science can be utilized as a means of moral education. Dr. Durand, Prof. Liebault and Dr. Berillon are enthusiasts regarding this idea, and have appealed by speech and writing for its official adoption by the French government.—Philadelphia Times.

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THE FLIGHT OF BIRDS.

The So-Called Horizontal Motion is Really Undulating.

Navigation of the air is a leading problem of the age, and in spite of the practical difficulties remaining unsurmounted, there is confidence that man's inventive genius can devise some plan of conquering the domain of the earth's atmosphere. An explanation of the mechanics of bird-flight clearly points to the conclusion that aerial navigation depends for its satisfactory solution on application of the same principles. Flight involves wing surfaces (pressure-surfaces) which must be both large and light. For example, a body weighing one hundred and fifty pounds will require approximately twelve square yards of wing-surface. The wing-surfaces of birds are supporting-surfaces, lifting-surfaces, and relatively, gliding-surfaces. These wing-surfaces are approximately about one two-hundredths of the weight of the bird. The downstroke of the wing is rapid and resisting, the up-stroke slower. There results a quick lift, and as the upper surface is very smooth and gently arched, the up-stroke meets with less resistance. From the effect of the downstroke results the possibility of rising—the lifting power. A drawing of a bent bow shows the wing position with the action suspended during flight. As the wing-surface from the beginning to the end of the stroke makes a shovel-shaped or scooping movement, scooping the air from above forward, and striking it downward and backward, by which the wing-surfaces describe a partial twist on the long axis—identical with part of a crew-stroke—there results a combination of two operations, a raising and a forward pushing movement, which constitute together one operation of flight: (1) The so-called horizontal flight is not actually in a straight line, but is undulating. Supposing the bird rises from the ground, he holds his body obliquely, and rises in an oblong course by rapid strokes of the wing. On reaching a desired height he brings his body to the horizontal direction by means of his steering appliances, and pursues his horizontal course, accelerated by the influence of gravitation. The bird is continuously subject to this force, which it overcomes with every stroke of the wing, and the quicker the operation the more rapidly the bird shoots forward. For an intelligent horizontal flight the steering appliances of the bird are, however, of first-class importance. These are the head, the neck and the tail, and, if the last is wanting, the outstretched legs. These together balance the body for horizontal flight. (2) Linear horizontal sailing without beating of the wings is only the continuous motion following powerful wing-strokes which give the body a forward impulse, in which it is supported by stiff, outstretched wings gliding over the volume of air which presses upward against it. The direction of sailing is only apparently horizontal, and persists only so long as the force of propulsion overcomes the force of gravitation. The bird must then renew his stroke or he will glide gradually downward. If a bird floats a considerable distance without beating his wings or descending, it is in consequence of a resisting current. From such simple principles is gradually being worked out the problem of air navigation. A dirigible flying machine, it is thought by many scientists, can be constructed, provided, of course, there be an intelligent application of the flight-generating force of rationally constructed pressure-surfaces.—N. Y. Ledger.

ALONE WITH MOTHER.

Helpfulness of These Short Seasons of Companionship.

In a family where the mother's attention is divided between several children, it is well, occasionally, to plan a little time of aloneness with each, if possible, in order to become better acquainted. Yes, and that each child may feel the security of his or her ownership of that precious mother. Stern realities of life permit only short seasons of recreation; living implies hurry-flurry, interruptions of family interviews, and only by planning judiciously for each and every young member of the family can they be assured their rightful portion of mother's company. "I wish you and I could go alone after arbutus," a boy said to his mother; and when she questioned the justice of his request, saying. "But you wouldn't be selfish, would you?" his answer brought conviction:

"You and I never go together, and I love to be alone with you; the others can go another time."

Mothers need to be taught, and their children unconsciously afford them object lessons worthy their close attention. Truly, the others could go at other times, and thus mother's attention might be centered upon one instead of being divided between several. The child's enjoyment is keener; little secrets otherwise remaining untold are confided to that most sympathetic and ready listener, and a closer friendship 's formed between the two.

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May 16-dtf

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For Sale, For Rent, Wanted, Etc.

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WATCH LOST—In the north or northeast part of Decatur, July 29, a gold watch, filled case, Elgin movement, in running order. No chain. A suitable reward will be paid for the return of the watch to the owner, William Higman, at Towne & Murphey's grocery store, 113 South Water street. 29-d6*

WANTED—By married man of good habits, who has first-class references, position as bookkeeper or assistant, or clerical position of any kind. Inquire at this office jy28-d1w*

FOR SALE—A few hundred choice celery plants. E. A. GASTMAN, 461 West North street. jy28 d1w*

WANTED—An active, honest man—Salary $60 to $70 monthly, if suitable, with chance to advance—to represent locally an established house. Enclose reference and self-addressed stamped envelope, Manager, Lock Drawer P., Chicago. july28-d1mo

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DRESSMAKING—Call at 15'8 East North street for fashionable dressmaking. Eldorado street cars go by the door. jy24-d1w*

FOR RENT AND SALE.—For rent, house at 412 East Prairie street. Furniture now in house may be bought cheap by person renting house, or will sell furniture to anyone else. This is a good chance for young people going to housekeeping. Inquire at premises of W. A. WILLIAMS, 245 South Side City Park, july24-d1w*

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Estate of Joseph D. Keagle, Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed Administrator of the estate of Joseph D. Keagle, late of the county of Macon and State of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the County Court of Macon County, at the court house in Decatur, at the September term, on the first Monday in September next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 17th day of July, 1893.

J. B. CAMPBELL, Administrator.

jy17-d3w

Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of an execution to me directed and delivered by the Clerk of the County court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of Jacob Deardorff and against Emanuel B. Deardorff, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit: Lot eleven (11), block seven (7) East Park Boulevard addition to the city of Decatur. Taken as property of the said Emanuel B. Deardorff which I shall offer at public sale at the north door of the court house in Macon county, in said state, on the 4th day of August A. D. 1893, at 2 p. m. of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.

This 14th day of July, A. D. 1893.

PETER PERL, Sheriff Macon County, Illinois.

[J]uly 14-dtf

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No. 10 Pass.... 8:45 p m	No. 9 Pass...
No. 4 Pass.... 11:45 a m	No. 5 Pass...
No. 44 Pass.... 11:16 a m	No. 43 Pass...
No. 42 Pass.... 10:10 p m	No. 45 Pass...
No. 2 Pass.... 12:15 a m	No. 5 Pass...
FROM QUINCY AND KANSAS CITY.	TO QUINCY AND KANSAS CITY.
No. 42 Pass.... 10:05 p m	No. 43 Pass...
No. 44 Pass.... 11:05 a m	No. 45 Pass...
No. 6 Pass.... 6:15 a m	No. 1 Pass...
No. 46 Acc.... 7:05 p m	No. 47 Acc.
No. 70, Freight 11:05 a m	No. 71, Freight...
FROM TOLEDO & DETROIT.	TO TOLEDO.
No. 43 Pass.... 3:50 a m	No. 46 Pass...
No. 45 Pass.... 3:55 p m	No. 44 Pass...
No. 41 Pass.... 9:00 p m	No. 42 Pass...
No. 47 Pass (from Bement 10:20 a m)	No. 48 Pass to Bement...
FROM CHICAGO.	TO CHICAGO.
No. 2 Pass.... 4:05 a m	No. 3 Pass.... 12:...
No. 5 Pass.... 3:40 p m	No. 4 Pass.... 11:...
No. 1 Pass, except Sunday. 8:50 p m	No. 6 Pass, except Sunday 6:...

ILLINOIS CENTRAL.

NORTH.	SOUTH.
No. 126 pass. ex. Sunday.... 7:00 a. m	No. 103 pass. ex. day.... 5:40
No. 124 pass. daily.... 10:45 p. m	No. 117 pass. to I daily.... 4:45
No. 122 pass. ex. Sunday.... 9:00 p. m	No. 121 pass. ex. day.... 10:25
No. 182 pass. ex. Sunday.... 2:20 p. m	No. 108 freight, ex. day....
No. 194 freight, ex. Sunday.... 5:20 p. m	No. 70[illegible]
No. 702 (Champaign Line) leaves, ex. Sunday.... 3:15 p. m	

INDIANAPOLIS, D[ECATUR &] WEST[ERN].

ARRIVE.	
No. 1 Pass.... 3:25 p m	
No. 3 Pass.... 3:35 a m	
No. 7 Freight 9:00 a m	
No. 9 Freight 2:00 p m	

PEORIA, DECA[TUR & EVANS]VIL[LE].

NORTH.	
No. 2 Pass.... 3:19 p m	
No. 4 Pass.... 6:35 a m	
No. 20 Pass, Sunday.... 7:20 a m	
No. 14 Freight 10:45 a m	

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EAST.	
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Erie M. Shaffer et al, Ex Parte—No. 14404—Bill for Partition.

Public notice is hereby given that in pursuance of a decree of the circuit court of Macon county, in the state of Illinois, entered at the June term A. D. 1893, in the above entitled cause, I James J. Finn, Master in Chancery of said court, will on Saturday July 29, 1893 at the hour of 3 o'clock p. m. offer to the highest and best bidder at a public vendue the property in said decree ordered to be sold, being described as follows to-wit: 36 feet off of the west side of lot 11, and four feet off of the west side of lot 12, all in block 1, of Yates & King's addition to the city of Decatur, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois.

TERMS OF SALE. One half cash in hand on day of sale, balance in one year. Deferred payments to bear 8 per cent interest per annum, and be secured by note and mortgage of the property sold and also by approved personal security.

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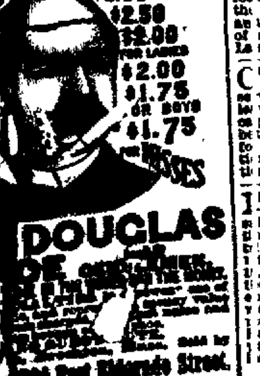

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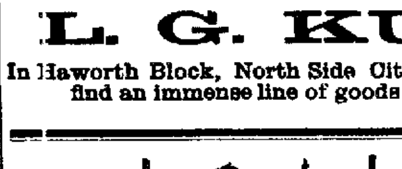

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WORLD'S COLUMBIAN EXPOSITION.—The Illinois Central will sell round-trip tickets to Chicago, Ill., Sale of tickets to commence April 25th, 1893, and continue daily to and including Oct. 31st, 1893, going journey to be commenced on date of sale. Tickets limited to continuous passage in each direction, and good for return until Nov. 15, 1893. For tickets call on T. Peniwell, C. T. A., 110 Library Block; or C. O. Judson, Union Depot, Decatur, Ill. apr24

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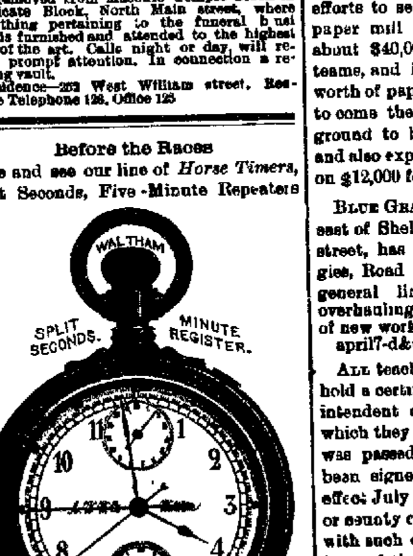

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SELECT family groceries, home and California fruits at Towne & Murphey's store on South Water street.

THE Grand Opera House cigars, made by Keck & Weigand, are the best in town. mar25dtf

THE popular Haines, Everett and Sterling pianos are on sale at the C. B. Prescott music house on North Water street. Call and make selections.

ALL our 12 and $15 suits go at $9.90 this month. Call early. Geo. W. Jones & Co. july 17-d&wtf

THERE will be a Sunday school convention next Sunday afternoon at the Antioch Baptist church on Spring avenue, beginning at 3:30 o'clock.

ALL the talk in the world will not convince you so quickly as one trial of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve for scalds, burns, bruises, skin affection and piles.

DID we ever advertise bargains that we did not give them? BACHMAN BROS. & MARTIN Co. july29-2w

A FINE upright piano for sale or rent; also a fine square piano for sale or rent at the C. B. Prescott music house. july28-d2t

THOSE fancy vests and negligee shirts on sale at Cheap Charley's store are beauties. Buy there.

WE could not improve the quality if paid double the price. DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve is the best Salve that experience can produce, or that money can buy.

WE will sell you furniture cheaper than ever before. We need your money. BACHMAN BROS. & MARTIN Co. july29-2w

JOHN YOUNG, at the REPUBLICAN office is the Decatur agent for the Remington typewriter. Call for catalogues and prices. dtf

THE coal bids at the council meeting last night were rather close. Accompanying nearly every bid was a sample of the coal to be furnished, but Clerk Skelley told the alderman that he did not feel quite strong enough to bring in the samples for inspection.

IT will pay you every day in the week to call at the C. B. Prescott music house Inspect those standard pianos and organs and you will buy. None better on the market.

THE saucy cigarmakers are not so gay since the Printers' club laid them out in a blood game of base ball 12 to 10. Now the printers are stepping high, and actually ignore phat takes and scoop pickups as they discuss how they licked the "snipes" on the diamond.

ASK your neighbor what kind of a suit he got at Geo. W. Jones & Co.'s for $9.90 and come early and get one before they are all gone. july17-d&wtf

Use Shellabarger's WHITE LOAF FLOUR. It is the best.

THE O. B. Turner property at 1027 West Main street has been sold for $2750 to E. L. Martin. In the trade Mr. Turner took some lots owned by Mr. Martin at Springfield. Mr. Turner has been chosen general secretary of the Springfield Y. M. C. A., and will take up the work September 1st.

AS AN after-dinner pill, to strengthen the stomach, assist digestion, and correct any bilious tendencies, Ayer's Pills are considered the best. Being sugar-coated they are as agreeable as any confection, and may be taken by the most delicate.

The Pride of Decatur, WHITE LOAF FLOUR, The Blue Ribbon brand.

TAYLORVILLE citizens are now making efforts to secure the establishment of a paper mill there. The plant will cost about $40,000, employ 40 men and 15 teams, and is expected to turn out $250 worth of paper daily. As an inducement to come the company wants five acres of ground to be furnished by the citizens, and also expects them to pay the interest on $12,000 for five years.

BLUE GRASS Carriage Shop, one block east of Shellabarger's mill, Cerro Gordo street, has a fine line of Surreys, Buggies, Road and Spring Wagons. Do a general line of repairing, repainting, overhauling, &c. Come and see this line of new work and get rock bottom prices. april7-d&wtf

ALL teachers in Illinois must hereafter hold a certificate from the county superintendent of schools in the county in which they teach. A law to that effect was passed by the legislature and has been signed by the governor. It took effect July 1st. No teacher in the city or county can draw pay unless provided with such certificate good for the entire term of the contract.

IGNORANCE of the merits of DeWitt's Little Early Risers is a misfortune. These little pills regulate the liver, cure headache, dyspepsia, bad breath, constipation and biliousness. W. F. Neisler.

AT Lincoln yesterday Mrs. Sarah A. Hull, a well-known dressmaker, was found dead and alone in her home on Eleventh street, the discovery being made by Mrs. Susan A. Lawler, a seamstress employed by Mrs. Hull. A coroner's jury decided that she came to her death from heart disease. Her daughter, Mrs. Nettie Ferry, departed for her home in Freeport only last week, after spending the summer with her mother.

THE CITY COUNCIL.

Joe Hewes Loses a Vote for Marshal—10 to 4.

Routine Business—Coal and Reservoir Bids Referred—Sewer Ordinances.

All of the aldermen and the mayor were present at the council meeting held last night. At the close of the session, as usual, the mayor proposed J. S. Hewes for marshal. The vote on confirmation heretofore has been 9 to 5. This time the vote was 10 to 4, Ald. Johnson being the Democrat who voted in the negative. Ferguson voted with Watkins, Knight and White in the affirmative.

Property owners on the east side of Railroad avenue, between Herkimer and Edmund streets, asked for a sidewalk grade. Referred.

Property owners on South Union street, between Main and Wood, asked that the street be paved 25 feet wide instead of 30 feet. Referred.

J. P. Smallwood asked for the removal of public watering place on East Prairie street, and also for the removal of iron guard at the Wykoff building. Referred.

Engineer Burgess reported that he had estimated the cost for the three-foot barrel culvert across King street, near Pine, 60 feet long, at $180. Adopted.

Engineer Burgess reported that he had placed on file a profile of an 8-inch sewer in alley between Orchard and Condit streets, from Broadway to Warren to east line of Morgan street. Ordered that ordinance be drawn.

Engineer Burgess estimated the cost of the culvert across the road near the fair grounds at $400. Adopted.

Engineer Burgess recommended the construction of a 3-foot sewer in Calhoun street from Jasper street south 225 feet to the south side of William street. Total cost $751.25. Twenty-five inch tile to be used across William street. Adopted.

An ordinance was introduced reducing the speed of street cars from 15 miles an hour to 8 miles an hour. Referred to the ordinance committee.

The special committee reported that two rooms in the basement of the annex to the court house had been secured at $50 a year as an office for the city electrician. The report was accepted.

Engineer Burgess made an unfavorable report in the proposition to build a viaduct beneath the I. C. railroad on South Franklin street. The proposed plan would entail an expense of $5,000 to remove the earth, and it would then be a very dangerous crossing. It was recommended that the plan proposed by the I. C. officials be adopted. Mr. Burgess reported that he had made a profile for the crossing at Marietta street. Adopted.

An ordinance was adopted for a branch sewer from Jasper street west on the central line of Hickory street to the center line of the alley running north and alley between North Calhoun and Clayton streets, north to the city limits.

On motion of Ald. Williams it was voted that an ordinance be drawn for the King street culvert.

An ordinance was read for the construction of a sewer to connect with the east branch of the Broadway sewer opposite the alley running east and west between East Edmond and Condit streets, extending to the west line of the I. C. railroad right of way. Laid over.

An ordinance was read and passed for a sewer extension from Jasper street on Edmond west to alley between Calhoun and Clayton streets, north to Herkimer, west to first alley west of North Calhoun.

RESOLUTIONS.

By Ferguson: That bids be secured for the culverts recommended by Engineer Burgess. Adopted.

By Ferguson: That the finance committee invest the surplus in the sinking fund in time warrants. Adopted.

By Johnson and Ferguson: That a four-inch water main be laid on Hilton street from William to Prairie, thence east 300 feet to what is known as Cassell's pasture. Referred.

By Ferguson: That a 6-inch water main be laid from Illinois street east on Prairie street to Jasper. Referred.

By Dodd and Bramble: That the culvert across Haworth avenue, between Macon and Wood streets be repaired. Adopted.

By Dodd and White: That a 4-inch water pipe, being part of the old pipe from West Decatur street, be laid on East Decatur street from the 16-inch main on Broadway to east right of way of the I. C. railroad. Referred.

By Shade: That parties interested be permitted to put down plank on the crossing between Hatfield & Co.'s mill and the Oil mill. Adopted.

By Holman and Irwin: That an 8-inch lateral sewer be laid in the alley between Broadway and North Morgan street from East Sangamon to East Orchard street. Referred.

By Williams: That a 6-inch water pipe be laid on College street from Green street to Packard. Referred.

On motion of Ald. Shade it was voted that the street superintendent inspect the paved streets and submit a report as to what is needed in the way of repairs where lateral sewers have been built.

On motion of Ald. Holman the question of laying water pipe on North Water street from Herkimer to the P., D. & E. road, was referred to the public improvement committee with power to act.

The committee was granted a week's further time to report on the Officer Lowe eligibility case.

BIDS AND CONTRACTS.

Bids were opened for the construction of the sewer on South Monroe, West Eldorado, Mercer and North streets: S. A. Tuttle, $2,060; A. F. Gephart, $1,973; H. Mueller company, $1,947. The contract was awarded to the H. Mueller company.

THE COAL BIDS.

The following bids for furnishing the city coal for the next year were read and referred to the water and light committee: V. H. Parke & Son, $1.49½ per ton on board the cars at water works; single tons, $1.85; half tons, $1. F. D. Caldwell, $1.35 per ton on board the cars at water works; single tons, $1.80. Decatur Coal company, lump coal, $1.55 on board the cars at water works; nut coal, $1.10; lump coal in city, $1.75 per ton. M. F. Metz, $1.49 per ton on board cars at water works, ... city.

THE RES...

Bids on the different ... cement work at the new reservoir works ... as follows:

S. F. Perry—Bottom, 12 cents per foot; side, 20 cents per foot; concrete on grade ground, 30 cents per cubic foot; gravel on top, $1.50 per yard; excavating, 2½ cents per foot.

Miller & Frankhouse—Bottom, 13 cents per square foot; sides, 21 cents per square foot; 10-inch grout, 38 cents per cubic foot; top, 55 cents per square foot; excavation, 3 cents per foot.

F. Bickes—Bottom 12¼ cents per foot; side, 22 cents; Utica grout, 33⅓ cents per cubic foot; Portland top, 33⅓ cents per cubic foot; gravel, $1.50 per yard; excavation, 2¾ cents per foot.

Henry Amman: Gravel per cubic yard, $1.43; side walls, 23 1-3 per foot; 10-inch work at 31½ per cubic foot; 12-inch work at 56 cents per cubic foot; bottom at 15 cents per foot; excavating at 2 cents per foot.

B. F. Kincaid: Bottom, 12¾ cents per square foot; Portland grout and cement work, 22 cents per square foot; Utica cement and grout work, 30 cents per cubic foot; gravel, $1.45 per yard.

The above bids were referred to the water and light committee, mayor and city attorney with power to act.

A CLEVER SCHEME.

Order Lunches From Here to Be Sent to Chicago.

It is not generally known that one or two of the restaurants in this city are doing business of no inconsiderable dimensions in Chicago. Somebody with a good head for economy and retrenchment discovered, while in the Windy city doing the fair, that he could buy an excellent lunch and have it expressed postpaid to his address and still save money on the Chicago basis for the same articles. Scarcely a day passes that the express offices do not send a number of packages containing fried chicken, ham and beef sandwiches, devilled eggs and other substantials and delicacies. The goods are securely wrapped in very thin, close tissue paper and carefully packed, and when they reach their destination they are as fresh and succulent as could be asked. The goods are better and cheaper and Decatur gets the money. The custom is growing every day.

Watch Souvenir for Houghton.

H. F. Houghton, late Wabash trainmaster who left last night for Indianapolis to go on duty as assistant superintendent on the Chicago and Indianapolis road, was given a splendid send-off at his old office in the presence of the conductors and trainmen of his old division. It was a surprise presentation of a magnificent solid gold watch, with a richly wrought raised case, inscribed "Presented to H. F. Houghton by his Wabash friends July 31, 1893." Supt. M. C. Irish, of the Dining Car Dept., made the presentation speech, to which Mr. H. replied in fitting terms. The watch, which was one of the best to be had, was procured at W. R. Abbott & Co.'s jewelry store, and will always be highly prized by Mr. Houghton as a remembrance of his service in Decatur, and of the esteem and good wishes of his Wabash friends.

A Burglar's Escape.

At about the midnight hour last night a burglar visited the home of Constable Midkiff on West Macon street, and was in the act of lifting a window to enter, when Mr. Midkiff with a self-acting revolver fired at the fellow, but failed to hit him. The weapon went off too quickly. It was on a line with the body of the man, but the bullet struck a table and shattered a plate. Midkiff rushed to the door. A passing negro said he saw a man cutting across the street at a rapid gait. On the ground below the window was a box which the thief used to stand on to reach the window. Several attempts at burglary have lately been made in that neighborhood. The first thief caught in a house or prowling around the premises will be shot on sight.

A Bicycle Race.

For some time past there has been no little dispute as to the relative racing ability of four of Decatur's prominent citizens. It has culminated in a match, which will come off one day this week at the race track. Each gentleman is the possessor of a fine wheel, and it is said that each has put in about three hours practicing each day. The participants in the race will be Judge Vail, Frank Curtis, Frank Shull and C. M. Hurst.

Thinks the Fair Great.

William Coombe, of Mt. Zion, while in Chicago last week attended the World's Fair for three days. He says it was a surprise to him—being simply wonderful. He thinks every farmer ought to attend it as it will pay him to do so. Mr. C. says that all the talk about robbery of World's Fair attendants is untrue, that a man who has his wits about him can attend the fair at a very reasonable expense.

Burnt a Door.

The fire department was called out this morning between 3 and 4 o'clock by a little blaze at John Schweinbold's planing mill, 304 East Cerro Gordo street, where some live coals from the boiler furnace had ignited a door. The damage was slight. The building was formerly occupied by the Stare Brothers.

Stricken in Redmon.

William Nail, residing at 641 East Wood street, left last night for Redmon, Ill., in response to a telegram from his brother, J. W. Nail, announcing that their mother had been stricken with paralysis and that she was lying very low. The lady is 65 years of age, and it is feared the stroke will be fatal.

New Officers.

The United Brethren Endeavor society elected the following officers last night: President, T. J. Rathbrauff; vice-president, S. S. DeLaughter; secretary, Miss K. P. Wacherle; treasurer, W. T. Magee.

Are You Wanting for a Brush?

Scrub brushes, 5, 10, 15 and 20 cents; blacking brushes, 15c that sell everywhere for 25c, at E. D. Bartholomew's.

WHEN TO SELL GRAIN.

Advice Which Farmers Might Follow With Profit.

Said a successful business man to the reporter: When I was farming I always let my grain go when I got a fair profit over production. Sometimes, it is true, by holding I might have made more, but generally it was the paying way to sell early. One fall, especially, as soon as my oats were threshed—and I had a splendid crop—I went to the graindealer and found he had a special deal on hand and would pay 40 cents. I put on every team I could muster and hauled. I told my neighbors to sell as the chance was open to them; but no, it oats were worth 40 cents at threshing time, in sixty days they would be worth 50 cents sure. I saw most of them sell that same crop for 25 cents. The same fall my corn turned out well. I husked as early as possible and found a 58 cent market. I couldn't get that corn to market fast enough to suit me, I was so ready to sell at that price. My neighbors almost to a man, held for 75 cents. They took 35 cents next winter. It costs a farmer a certain price to raise grain and it's a simple business proposition that confronts the agriculturist. When he can get a fair profit, just as a merchant is satisfied with on his goods, the thing to do is to sell. That's my experience in farming and business, and success (if I may be allowed to call it such) is due solely to following these principles.

Good Sheep.

William Coombe of Mt. Zion is a good judge of sheep and of mutton stock, and the result of his judgment has been that several times he has topped the Chicago market. Last week he took up a part of a load of sheep, and again, on the quality of the sheep, overtopped the market by at least one dollar on the hundred, receiving for them as much as was paid for the best lambs that day. Speaking of Mr. Coombes being in the market with these sheep the Chicago *Drovers' Journal*, July 28, says:

William Coombe of Mt. Zion is the breeder and feeder of the 141-lb yearling and two-year-old Shropshire sheep which sold Thursday at $5.75 and is justly proud of his success in making mutton sheep. He pays no attention to the breeding trade, but has reduced the mutton problem down to a fine point. He finds that by handling only the best he can more easily get top prices than other people can get low prices for inferior stock.

$100 Reward.

George M. Brinkerhoff, of Springfield, Ill, disappeared from an Illinois Centra train between Gilman and Clinton early in the morning of Saturday, July 29, 1893. He is thought to have reached Decatur, Ill., 4:40 a. m. of the same day, and has not been seen since 5 o'clock that morning near the Union depot in Decatur. He is of slim build, about 5 feet 8 inches high, weight about 135 pounds, blue eyes, very grey hair and quite bald. He is 54 years of age, has a gray moustache, otherwise smooth face. When last seen he wore a slate colored small crusher hat, white shirt with turn down collar, blue polka dot necktie, a dark grey suit of clothes, cutaway coat, gaiter shoes and red woolen socks. He was at the time temporarily mentally irresponsible. One hundred dollars reward will be given for finding him and notifying the undersigned, his son, so that he can secure him. Upon his discovery, wire JOHN H. BRINKERHOFF, july 31-d2t Springfield, Ill

An Egyptian Curiosity.

In July, 1881, there were discovered in the ancient city of Thebes, the mummies of Egypt's mightiest Pharaohs, among them that of Rameses the Great. There were also found seals, coins, statuettes, preserved food, and a few rolls of papyrus, some of the latter being of great value, curiously bound together, and, notwithstanding the mold and mildew of ages upon them, as easily read as if written yesterday. A queer little book entitled, "A Night with Rameses II," has been executed so cleverly, that the oxydized seal, suggestion of mould, antique coloring, and partially decayed and ragged-edged papyrus carry at once to the mind the possession of a veritable relic from the dawn of civilization. Mailed to any address on receipt of 6 cents in stamps, by J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass.

In Jail.

Amos Imboden arrived last evening from Springfield having Harry Bell in custody for stealing a bicycle from C. B. Turner, which wheel he sold in Peoria. Bell was put in jail. The wheel was brought over from Peoria last night by Officer Williamson. It is learned that Dan Bell, brother of Harry, is in the Peoria jail on a charge of burglary.

John Dore, of Macon, was put in the county jail last evening, charged with burglary. When arrested Dore had on his person a dirk and slung-shot. Before he was caught he threw away a revolver.

Wanted

Men with some capital, who are wide awake and know a good thing when they see it, to try one of Huffman's Cabaret or Little Rip cigars. They please the most fastidious epicures. Sold by all dealers. Manufactured at Huffman's North End Cigar Store, 1065 N. Water street. june12-dtf

Pasture at Oakland Park.

Oakland Park is now open for use as a cow pasture. Parties wishing to graze their cows there are requested to apply to W. L. Ferguson, Manager Electric Street Railway Co., at the transfer station on Lincoln Square. 29 d3t

A Million Friends.

A friend in need is a friend indeed, and not less than one million people have found just such a friend in Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. If you have never used this Great Cough Medicine, one trial will convince you that it has wonderful curative powers in all diseases of throat, chest and lungs. Each bottle is guaranteed to do all that is claimed or money will be refunded. Trial bottle free at King & Wood's drug store. Large bottles 50c and $1.

Tan, Heliotrope, French Terra Cotta, Smoked Pearl,

LATEST COLORS IN INGRAINS, with beautiful 20 and 30 inch Friezes to match. *Do not be misled—they have not gone out of style.*

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151 NORTH WATER STREET, DECATUR.

Whether Silver is "up" or Greenbacks "down," whether Gold is "scarce" or Cotton "slow," it makes no difference: you'll generally find our store busy. This week being the beginning of another month we will sell many goods Regardless of Value. You can always find just what we advertise.

10 CENTS.

10c. Choice of our entire line of light-colored Ponge all this week.

ALSO, Nice lot of colored figure and stripe India Linens and Lawns, reduced from 15c to 10c this week.

MUSLINS.

See our 7c Unbleached Muslin at 5c. Wide Sheeting on sale at 19c yard.

UMBRELLAS.

See the Umbrellas we are selling at $1.48 each, natural or metal handles, worth fully $2.50.

Table Covers.

Cut Prices this week. Best $3.00 quality on sale at $1.95.

SHOES.

One lot 10 doz. Ladies' Tan or Black Oxfords at 98c, regular $1.50 goods.

LADIES' BUTTON SHOES.

Best Values in Decatur.

Our $2.00 Ladies' Shoes at $1.48.
Our $3.00 Ladies' Shoes at $1.98.
Our $4.00 Ladies' Shoes at $2.48.
Our $5.00 Ladies' Shoes at $3.95.

MEN'S SHOES.

See the $2.50 quality of Men's Shoes, Congress lace at $1.98 pair.

Our $3.50 quality Men's Shoes at $2.50 per pair.

CARPETS.

We are making special low prices on all our carpets this week.

Best all wool carpets at 65, 69c this week.

Lot of new Fall Patterns just received.

We are anxious to have you do your trading at our our store this week, as we will save you money.

CHAS. T. JOHNSTON,

151 North Water Street.

KEEP COOL!

The proper way to keep cool is to provide yourself with suitable clothing. Our stock of Hot Weather Clothing and Furnishings for this season is the largest and most varied we have ever shown.

Skeleton Make Coats and Vests,

In Alpaca, Serge, Mohair, Flannel, Drap d'ete and unfinished worsted materials, Black, Blue and Tan Shades, in slim, stout, extra long and regular make.

Fancy Vests,

In Silk, Worsted and Wash Goods, double and single breasted.

UNDERWEAR AND HOSIERY,

in Endless Variety.

Negligee Shirts,

Laundried, Half Laundried and SOFT.

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A Complete Line, in All the Latest Braids.

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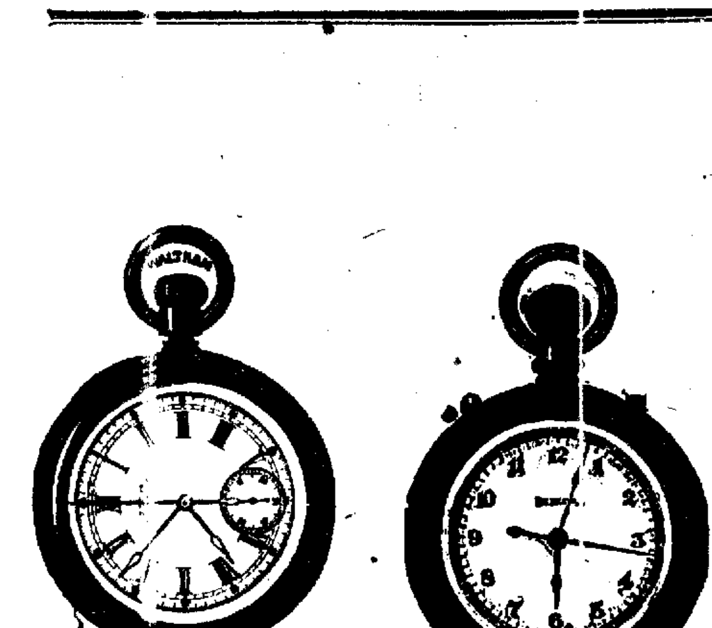

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HORSE TIMERS,

SPLIT SECONDS,

5 Minute Repeaters

With Chronograph, Etc.

If you own a fine horse you will be interested in these goods.

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Jewelers and Dealers in Fine China

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During July we will make

SPECIAL LOW PRICES

On Everything to Reduce Stock.

EASY PAYMENTS, OR CASH.

HARRY FISK,

Court House Block.

LAWN TENNIS

Full line of the BEST GOODS. SPECIAL RATES made to clubs. We have also some EXTRA FINE RACKETS that we are selling at greatly reduced prices. CROQUET—4, 6 and 8 Ball Sets. Professional Sets, with Nine-Inch Mallets.

HAMMOCKS! HAMMOCKS! at all prices.

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POST OFFICE BOOK STORE.

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TAKE A REFRESHING BATH.

The Natatorium is supplied with clear and beautiful Spring Water, heated to the proper temperature.

The Natatorium is open to the public every day and evening.

BATHING HOURS.

Ladies and Children	9 a. m. to 12 m.
Gentlemen and Boys	1 to 5 and 7 to 10 p. m.
Family Hours	5 to 7 p. m

TERMS.

General admission	25c
Children under 16 years	15c
Season tickets	$5.00

I. R. MILLS, Owner.

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KEEP OFF CHOLERA

By Cleaning up And Using Disinfectants.

We Keep the Best to be Had.

KING & WOOD, Druggists.

TUESDAY EVE., AUG. 1, 1893.

ITEMS OF INTEREST

Make Your Money Go Far.

Wire broilers, 9, 10 and 12 cents; wooden chopping bowls, 10, 20 and 25 cents; whisk brooms, 10, 15 and 20 cents; toy brooms, 10 cents; regular brooms, 10, 15, 25, 30, 35 and 40 cents, at E. D. BARTHOLOMEW'S.

DUNN & SON, tailors.

TEETH, $7—Hoskins & Moore, dentists

DELICIOUS Ice Cream Soda at Dawson's.

FOR the best grade of perfumes go to Irwin's.

A NEW line of fine tablets at Dawson's book store.

LARGE line of face powders at Irwin's drug store.

HAMMOCKS at Dawson's book store, successor to Robinson.

PRESCRIPTIONS prepared by practical pharmacists at Irwin's.

DR. CHARLES FUSCH, aged 77 years, died last evening at Lincoln.

THE Shellabarger mill is to-day paying 55 cents for best wheat. july 25-tf

THE Little Rose and Bouquet cigars are favorites, made by Joseph Michl.

BUY furniture now and save money. BACHMAN BROS. & MARTIN CO. july29-2w

WALL PAPER and window shades at Conklin & Rousum's, in Library Block.

Boom Decatur
by using
White Loaf Flour.

BOODY DICK of the Jasper street offices of the Wabash is visiting in Boody.

DID you get one of those $9.90 suits yet at Geo. W. Jones & Co.'s, if not, why not? july17-d&wtf

TO-DAY a marriage license was granted James H. Delaney and Miss Lola E. Handley, both of Monticello.

DON'T fail to call at Philip Kemper's handy grocery store. There you will find the best of table supplies.

WE guarantee Monarch mixed paints equal to any paint in the city. At Dawson's, successor to Swearingen.

Do you want to buy furniture at factory prices? Then come and see us. BACHMAN BROS. & MARTIN CO. july29-2w

AN opportunity of a lifetime! Look out for the Kalophons. A telegram tells us they are coming. Watch the papers.

YOU will miss it if you let those sales on all summer supplies slip you this month at Geo. W. Jones & Co.'s. july17-d&wtf

THE Wabash shops in this city will during the month of August only work eight hours. The change went into effect to-day.

WHITE
LOAF
FLOUR
The Best.

LOST—A silver watch—between Bradford street and Union depot. Finder will be liberally rewarded if he will leave the watch at the Wabash ticket office.

W. C. T. U. SOCIAL and reception this evening at the rooms in Library Block. Refreshments will be served as early as 6 p. m.

CAPTAIN BAYLOR was at home sick last night, and Officer Mutherspaugh had charge of the night police force. He was the officer at the council meeting.

TO-DAY J. R. Weyland, late of Joplin, Mo., is arranging to open a saloon in the Harpstrite building, 114 North Water street. He is putting the furniture in place.

A MEETING of the Good Templars will be held to-night in their hall, which has recently been refitted and refurnished in good style for the purpose of electing officers.

THE Executive committee of the Southern Illinois Soldiers' Association decided last night at Centralia, to hold its eleventh annual reunion at Centralia Oct. 4, 5 and 6.

A DARING chimney sweeper with a bugle attracted some attention to-day. He climbed to the top of the tallest chimney on the St. Nick hotel, and standing erect, he played a tune.

THE period known as the dog days is here. It extends from about July 18 to August 25, and lasts forty days, twenty before and twenty after the rising of Sirius, known as the dog star.

IN the county court this afternoon there is a contest on the Morgan street special assessment case, with City Attorney Lee for Decatur, and I. A. Buckingham and C. C. Leforgee for the contestants.

BURGLARS entered the Henry Smith residence on Prairie avenue last night through a screen window, but did not take anything of value. They missed a sum of money and a gold watch near the place where they took Mr. Smith's pantaloons.

"BE sure you get Ayer's" is an important caution to all in search of a thoroughly-reliable blood-purifier. Ayer's Sarsaparilla being the one on which there can be no manner of doubt. It has stood the test of nearly half a century, and has long been considered the standard.

STILL A MYSTERY.

Brinkerhoff's Disappearance More Puzzling Than Ever.

J. E. Long Claims to Have Spoken to Him Saturday Forenoon on Lincoln Square—Citizens' Meeting at Springfield.

The unaccountable disappearance of George M. Brinkerhoff, of Springfield, in Decatur last Saturday, July 29, grows more puzzling and mysterious with each passing day. Despite the fact that a cash reward of $100 has been offered for information that will lead to his recovery, dead or alive, absolutely no tidings of him can be had. Diligent search has been made in Decatur and vicinity for the missing man. There was a story afloat last evening that a Vandalia railroad engineer had seen a man asleep in a field near Mt. Zion. Investigation has satisfied H. L. Oldham that the party was a tramp, and in no manner resembled Mr. Brinkerhoff.

An important feature of the case was that which was developed to-day. It had been stated that J. E. Long, proprietor of the Hotel Long, who knows Brinkerhoff well, had asserted that he had seen the gentleman in Decatur Saturday forenoon. Mr. Long is at Mackinaw on a fishing trip. A telegram was sent to him last night. To-day Mr. Oldham received a reply from Mr. Long to this effect: "I saw and talked with Brinkerhoff on Lincoln Square in Decatur Saturday forenoon at 11:30 o'clock." Certainly Mr. Long could not have been mistaken. It is odd that this information should be so late coming out, but probably Mr. Long was not impressed with its importance. It was supposed that Mr. Brinkerhoff, if he had been in Decatur at all, had left on a train not later than 7 o'clock Saturday morning, but as Mr. Long says he saw him near his hotel at 11:30 a. m. that same day, it is conclusive evidence that Brinkerhoff was not in a hurry to get away, and, further, that he had his wits about him, or Long would have noticed something peculiar about him. It has been supposed all along that Brinkerhoff is somewhere in or near Decatur, deranged or dead. The search from now on will be centered at Decatur. The opinion gains ground that Brinkerhoff must be somewhere in Decatur. H. L. Oldham has charge of the search at this point, and will be thankful to receive any information concerning the whereabouts of the missing man.

AT SPRINGFIELD.

The interest in the search at Springfield is unabated. The State *Journal* this morning contained these paragraphs:

It is known that Mr. Brinkerhoff intended soon to go east as an agent to negotiate some bonds and it is counted among the possibilities that while in a temporarily demented state, the thought that he must go right away overshadowed his purpose to return home and induced him to leave Decatur for an eastern destination. The cities he would most probably make are Philadelphia or Hartford, as he has transacted considerable business with parties in those places. Word has been dispatched to those towns, as well as to several others and in case he appears at any of the offices, word will immediately be received here.

George Brinkerhoff, jr., has sent out thousands of small bills from Decatur offering a reward of $100 to anyone who may be able to give definite information as to the whereabouts of his father and return him to his anxious family. It is thought this will act as a greater spur in securing the co-operation of the general public in the search. If the missing man is within a reasonable distance of this city he will surely be found.

A large number of the personal friends of Mr. Brinkerhoff met again last evening at his office to further consider plans for a thorough and exhaustive search. Mr. Clinton L. Conkling was called to the chair, and he, together with DeWitt Smith and Charles Ridgely will constitute a committee in charge of the matter. A finance committee consisting of Messrs. George N. Black, B. H. Ferguson and C. C. Brown was appointed. A generous fund was subscribed to be applied toward defraying the expense of an extended search. It was resolved to call into requisition the Pinkerton detective force and one or two men were sent for. They will arrive in the city this morning from Chicago and will begin the search at once.

Dogs, Dogs, and Dogs.

This little burg of Decatur is fairly infested with canines and in some neighborhoods there are two dogs to every person. This is the season of hydrophobia and the citizens are in constant danger of rabid canines. The officers should give notice to all parties harboring dogs to keep the same in confinement or provide each with a wire muzzle. It would also be an excellent idea to give each night patrolman a quantity of deadly poison to place on their beat, in such places as are frequented by canines, and in this manner the number of dogs would be greatly decreased in a short time. A few fine dogs would be caught, but it would scare others into keeping their dogs tied up.

Teacher Chosen.

Elmer K. Towl has been chosen by the board of education to a position as teacher in the High School. Mr. Towl is a graduate of the Decatur High School, and attended the Wesleyan University at Bloomington for several years, subsequently entering upon a literary course at Ann Arbor, Mich., which he has almost completed, lacking only a few months. Mr. Towl is a young man of excellent character, and has all the qualifications necessary to make a successful teacher, and will do the work for which he has been selected to the satisfaction of everybody. The selection is a good one.

Young Corbett Whipped.

At Roby, Ind., last night Paddy Smith knocked out Young Corbett, brother of Jim, in the 28th round. Both men were severely punished. The purse was for $3500, of which $500 went to the loser. There was a riot on the outside of the building and one young man was fatally shot.

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PERSONAL MENTION.

D. L. Vigus and son are in Chicago.

George W. Parker, of Lincoln, is in the city.

Arthur Smith is visiting friends at Moweaqua.

J. Frank Jones and wife have returned from Chicago.

Thomas Lord and niece departed to-day for Chicago.

Mrs. R. J. Simpson, is visiting relatives in Mattoon to-day.

Miss Louise Mark of Peoria is visiting Decatur relatives.

Miss Carrie Ricke left to-day for Attica, Ind., to visit relatives.

W. W. Stevenson, of Bloomington, is a guest at the St. Nicholas.

Illinois Commissioner S. W. Johns, returned to-day to Chicago.

Mrs. S. T. Nesbit returned from a visit at Mechanicsburg to-day.

Mrs. W. L. Shellabarger and children have gone to Lake Bluff, Ill.

Mrs. Dr. J. S. King is slowly recovering from an attack of illness.

Richard Woodford left to-day for Chicago to attend the World's Fair.

Dr. and Mrs. L. L. Crosthwait returned to-day from Blue Mound.

W. H. Rogers returned yesterday from a visit with relatives in Springfield.

Miss Emma Millspaugh is seriously ill at her home on South Franklin street.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Conklin and Miss Bessie Henkle are home from Chicago.

Miss Eunice Thomas left to-day for Atwood to visit her friend, Miss Martin.

Supt. W. L. Ferguson is in St. Louis negotiating for several new closed cars.

H. P. Martin, wife and daughter, of Cerro Gordo, were visitors in the city to-day.

R. J. Stratton, who has been in Boston, Mass., on business, arrived home this morning.

Mrs. J. B. Shellabarger, of Salina, Kan., is in the city visiting her father, Joseph Mills.

Miss May Voorhies has gone to Bridgeport, Conn., to spend the remainder of the summer.

Rev. and Mrs. W. C. Miller left to-day for Chicago to spend a month at the World's Fair.

Paul Smith and A. W. Freeman will leave to-night for Chicago and the World's Fair.

Miss Anna Walston and Miss Bonnie Bartholomew are in Lincoln visiting Miss Katie Pegram.

Geo. W. Downing will leave to-night for Las Vegas, New Mexico, for the benefit of his health.

Mrs. Judge Eden, of Sullivan, and niece, Miss Belle Eden, of California, are in the city to-day.

Miss Flora Beatty and brother, George, left to-day for Maroa to visit friends for a week or longer.

Rev. and Mrs. Simon Rohrer are at Eureka, Ill., attending the Christian church camp meeting.

A. J. Horine has resigned his position at C. T. Johnston's to accept one with Linn & Scruggs.

Mrs. Peter Hoffman and daughters, Misses Celesta and Clara, are in Chicago attending the fair.

Clarence Wait will leave Sunday night for Lincoln, Neb., to join his wife who is there visiting friends.

Mrs. W. O. Barnett, who has been in Harristown visiting relatives, left to-day for her home in Wellington, Kan.

G. W. Jenkins, the newly appointed trainmaster of the Wabash, who has been very sick, is now somewhat improved.

Miss Smith, who has been in the city visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Anthony, left to-day for her home in Danville.

J. R. Weaver has returned from Huntington, Ind., where he was called by the death and funeral of W. H. Lewis.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. McCarty are in Chicago. The latter is in the World's Fair city receiving medical treatment.

Mrs. Ellen E. Elwood of North Springfield, who has been in the city visiting relatives, left to-day for Edwardsville.

Mrs. William Dodson, who has been quite sick at the home of relatives in Wisconsin, is now very much improved.

Misses Ivy Bridges and Ola Wheeler, of Maysville, Ky., who have been in the city visiting friends, left to-day for Waverly, Ind.

Parke Hammer and R. G. Paddecord departed last evening for French Lick Springs, Ind. They will be absent a week or longer.

Miss Bess George left yesterday for her home in South Bend, Ind., after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Heilman on West Decatur street.

Mrs. R. E. Mueller, Mrs. Herman Arnold and Miss Annie Brote, of Chicago, are in the city visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. Mueller on West Wood street.

Roy Wilson is home from Chicago, where he has been in the employ of the sanitary company as cashier at the World's Fair for several weeks.

Attorney J. M. Grout, who came here to look after G. M. Brinkerhoff, returned home last evening. He was pretty nearly worn out by loss of sleep and long walks.

Mrs S. B. Allen and children, who have been visiting her father, Dr. E. W. Moore, for several months past, left yesterday for their home in Cleburne, Texas.

Misses Anna and Bessie Pegram, of Lincoln, and Elmer E. McNeeley of Boston, arrived in the city to-day to visit Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Summers on West William street.

F. H. Paine and family are making preparations to move from Decatur to Slater, Mo., where Mr. Paine has been for several months as master mechanic for the C. & A. road.

Miss Tessa Beatty of Mansfield, accompanied by her guest, Miss Dorothy Bucker, of Urbana, Ohio, who has been in the city visiting Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith, left to-day for Mansfield.

John I. Hanks, lately in the grocery business in Decatur, is now in the employ of the Champion Machine company, of Chicago, as an expert, and is kept traveling through the state in the interest of the company.

Springfield *Register*: The engagement is announced of C. H. Young, assistant superintendent for Wells-Fargo express company, with headquarters in Albuquerque, N. M., and Miss Francis E. Fuller, of Decatur, Ill., a young lady well-known in Springfield, where she has frequently visited Mrs. Mary J. Stadden, who is her aunt. Miss Fuller went to Albuquerque about six months ago, and organized a class in China painting, and not only succeeded with her class, but also in capturing the heart of Mr. Young. Miss Fuller is the daughter of Charles Fuller, of Decatur, and sister of Miss Alethea Fuller, stenographer in the office of Hon. Bradford K. Durfee, insurance superintendent in this city.

Honorably Discharged.

The adjutant general has honorably discharged the following named enlisted men: Privates Walter E. Agate, Oscar Johnson, A. O. Kepler, J. B. McDermott, E. E. Nichols, William C. Pluck, V. H. Sanders, L. R. Taylor, W. E. Wilson, Ray Hay, Richard J. Ellis and William H. Fudge, Company H, Fifth infantry, of Decatur. All have served the term of five years.

Large Return for Small Investment

Pepper boxes, 2 cents; nutmeg grater, 5 cents; basting spoons, 4 and 5 cents; mincing knives, 5 to 25 cents each, at Bartholomew's great clearing sale.

Births.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Winters, 1218 East North street, July 29, a son.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Slater of Harristown, July 29, a daughter.

DECATUR'S CHANCE

To Spread Herself on August 10th.

On the Occasion of the Visit of the Foreign Commissioners of the World's Columbian Exposition to This City.

S. W. Johns, of this city, a member of the Illinois Board of World's Fair commissioners, was in the city last evening, and to-day left on the noon train for Chicago. He stated, in conversation with a REPUBLICAN reporter, that on Thursday, August 10th, the foreign commissioners of the World's Columbian exhibition would pass through Decatur as the guests of the Illinois Board of World's Fair commissioners and the Wabash railway. The Wabash railroad have offered one of their matchless trains for the accommodation of the party, which will consist of between 200 and 300 people. The party will leave Chicago over the C., B. & Q. to Quincy, where they will take the Wabash road. While in the city Mr. Johns made many efforts to secure the attention of Decatur people to the fact of the visit of so distinguished a party. He says the schedule of the trip has not yet been completed, but that he is doing his utmost to have a stop made here for dinner, in which case the honorable mayor and city council would have an opportunity to bestow upon the noted visitors the extreme hospitality of the city. The Citizens' Electric street railway company has offered their entire equipment to the disposal of the party should they stop. This is a chance for stirring Decatur to make a mark. Shake yourself, and give these foreign visitors a hale and hearty welcome.

TAKEN UNDER ADVISEMENT.

Session of the Circuit Court Held To-day—The Foster Case.

Judge Vail was on the bench in the circuit court to-day. Among the cases was that of James Freeman et al, vs. W. W. Foster et al, brought up on the report of J. J. Finn, Master in Chancery. The Master reported that the property in controversy on East Wood street had been sold under a mortgage, August 12, 1892, and that there is now due Lowber Burrows, $4775.90. The title of the property it was stated is in W. C. Johns, trustee, and it was found that there is due Freeman and others, $1826.15. It was recommended that the property be sold to satisfy the claim of Freeman et al, subject to the interest of Mr. Burrows, the remainder, if any, to be paid to Leah Foster. There were exceptions and cross exceptions which were argued by attorneys. The court took the matter under advisement until to-morrow morning when he will give his decision.

CHANCERY DOCKET.

Katheryne S. Smith vs. Lowell A. Smith; dower. Report of master approved.

James Freeman et al vs. William W. Foster et al; foreclosure. Report of master presented. Excepted to by defendant, and cross exceptions entered by complainants.

Eric M. Shaffer et al; ex parte: partition and dower. Master's report of sale approved. Order of distribution given and cause stricken from docket.

PEOPLE'S DOCKET.

People vs. Alva Ward; disorderly. Order of commitment set aside.

District Camp Meeting.

The annual camp meeting of the Normal and Streator districts of the Methodist Episcopal church will be held at Eureka, Woodford county, from August 17 to 27. Rev. J. W. Hamilton, D. D., of Boston, Mass., will preach Sunday, the 27th. Dr. Iliff, of Salt Lake City, Utah, will deliver a lecture on "Mormonism," at 3 p. m., August 27. Hear him. Wednesday, the 23d, Temperance day, under the direction of the W. C. T. U. order. Thursday, the 24th, Woman's Foreign Missionary Society will have charge. Friday and Saturday, the 25th and 26th, Epworth League days. The music will be under the direction of Revs. J. W. Frizzell and R. L. Vivian. The services begin August 17, at 7 p. m.

IT is said that a strange pest is playing havoc among the apples this year. The frost of the spring killed the larger portion, and the remainder grew to about one-third their natural size, that which they would attain if ripe, and then fall off. A microscopic examination shows that a minute worm is at work on the stems; that these are eaten through or so nearly so that the stem can't bear the weight, and the fruit falls. The insect that does the mischief is yet unknown, but a number of samples of apples have been sent to Washington, and it is hoped the Department of Agriculture may afford some relief.

Alton Cutting Down Expenses.

The retrenchment policy of the Chicago and Alton Railroad company was made public at Bloomington yesterday, and it is more sweeping than was at first expected. In addition to abolishing the offices occupied by A. M. Richards, W. K. Morley, and E. J. Sanford, division superintendents, Trainmasters Thomas Dean at Alton and Larry H. Nolan at Roodhouse were let out. One hundred and twenty employes in the shops were let out yesterday, and, commencing to-day, the time will be cut from ten to eight hours a day.

ALD. JOHNSON, of the Fifth ward "flew the track" last night, and voted against the confirmation of Joe Hewes for city marshal. This was something of a surprise to the mayor and Democratic aldermen, who thought they were to stand solid for Hewes. Johnson was asked what had gone wrong with him. With an expression of supreme disgust he replied: "I am getting tired of this." Evidently Johnson would like to have the mayor put up somebody else for marshal. Johnson is one of the ten aldermen who believe that Hewes will never get there.

Aloha's Victory.

Aloha, the running horse sold by Joe Smallwood, of this city, has lately won two big races in the east. He scored a big victory yesterday at Monmouth Park, in a dash of six furlongs, defeating Stonewall; time, 1:15¾.

Pork Drop.

In Chicago to-day pork opened at $19.00 and closed at $12.00. The noted firm of John Cudahy & Co. went to the wall, and with it went five other leading firms.

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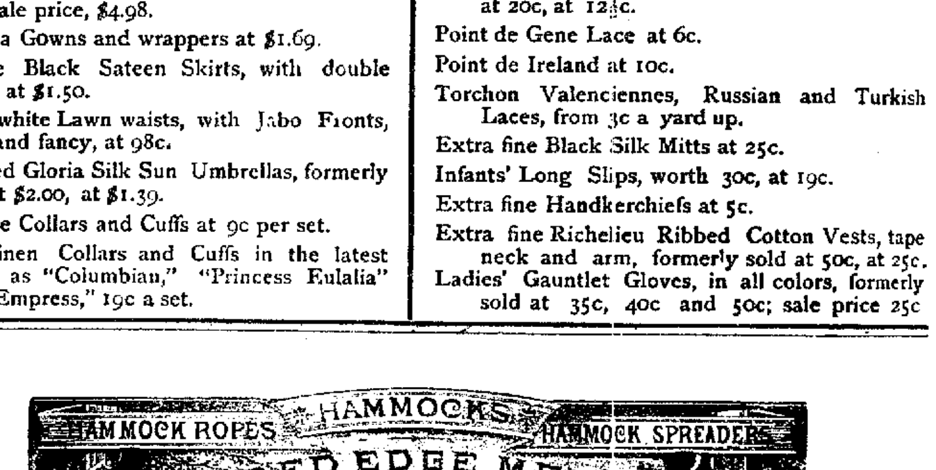
Manchester Best Wool Challies, formerly sold at 18c, at 9c.
Ladies' Fast Black Hose, 15c a pair.
Men's Lisle Thread Hose, 25c a pair.
Men's Heavy Hose, three pairs for 25c.
Outing Shirts at 49c.
Boys' Waists, 15c, 25c and 49c.
Ladies' Shirt waists, worth 50c, at 33c.
Ladies' Shirt waists, worth 75c, at 49c.
Ladies' Silk shirt waists, worth $5.00, at $3.49.
Ladies' Plaid Silk Shirt waists, worth $10, at $4.98
White walking suits, latest style, worth $10 per suit, sale price, $4.98.
Ladies' Tea Gowns and wrappers at $1.69.
Extra fine Black Sateen Skirts, with double ruffle, at $1.50.
Extra fine white Lawn waists, with Jabo Fronts, plain and fancy, at 98c.
29-inch Red Gloria Silk Sun Umbrellas, formerly sold at $2.00, at $1.39.
Ladies' lace Collars and Cuffs at 9c per set.
Ladies' Linen Collars and Cuffs in the latest styles, as "Columbian," "Princess Eulalia" and "Empress," 19c a set.
Ladies' fancy linen Eaton Fronts, at 49c.
46-inch all wool silk finished Black Henrietta, 69c
Black ground colored figured Challies at 4c.
Figured Swiss, formerly sold at 12½c, at 9c.
Imported Pongee, formerly sold at 15c, at 9c.
Satin finished Calico, worth 8c, at 5c.
Gloucester Best Calico, at 4⅜c.
36-inch best quality Percales, formerly sold at 12½c, at 9c.
Figured French lawns, worth 25c, at 15c.
Best quality Toil du Nord, never sold less than 12½c, at 8½c.
Park Hill Cotton Press Zephyrs, formerly sold at 20c, at 12½c.
Point de Gene Lace at 6c.
Point de Ireland at 10c.
Torchon Valenciennes, Russian and Turkish Laces, from 3c a yard up.
Extra fine Black Silk Mitts at 25c.
Infants' Long Slips, worth 30c, at 19c.
Extra fine Handkerchiefs at 5c.
Extra fine Richelieu Ribbed Cotton Vests, tape neck and arm, formerly sold at 50c, at 25c.
Ladies' Gauntlet Gloves, in all colors, formerly sold at 35c, 40c and 50c; sale price 25c



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J. W. Williamson, and chief of police of Decatur, arrived in Peoria this morning in search of Albert F. Smith, who is wanted in Decatur for obtaining board and lodgings fraudulently. Smith was arrested at Wilder's restaurant by Officer Anderson, who surrendered him to the Decatur officer.—*Peoria Journal, July 31.*

THE Empire Cordage company at Champaign closed down on Saturday evening to make some necessary repairs and to await a change in the business condition of the country. The stock of twine on hand is believed to be sufficient to meet the demand for some time. The stoppage throws about 115 men, women and children out of employment.

Two middle-aged women were standing at the ladies' entrance to the Union Depot this morning and presented a most unbecoming sight. Both were smoking clay pipes, and at intervals would expectorate with all the ease of an old-timer and without taking their pipes from their mouths. They attracted no little attention.

Nobody Else Will Do It.

Coffee mills, 20 to 65 cents; wash basins, 4, 5, 7 and 10c; dippers, 5, 7 and 10c, at E. D. Bartholomew's great July clearing sale.

THE Rev. George Ware Briggs, D. D., of the class of 1825, is the senior alumnus of Brown University. He is in his 89th year.

Removal.

We have removed to our new quarters, 253 North Main street, where we are now prepared to furnish incandescent globes, electric light fixtures of any kind, or to contract wiring of business houses and residences. We are now prepared to contract for arc and incandescent lighting, and will give close figures on wiring business houses and dwellings. We do no free wiring. We assure all that we have a very superior and absolutely dependable service, and solicit a share of the patronage of the public.

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The business of insurance of the late firm of Warren and Durfee will be continued by its successor, John K. Warren, under the name of "The Warren Insurance Agency." H. L. Oldham, who was made manager with an interest, January 1, 1893, will continue in same capacity, having the additional authority to sign policies and endorsements. The agency is in its 34th year.

Decatur, Ill., July 22, 1893.
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ARTICLES.	Opening.	High'st	Lowest	
WHEAT—				
July	....	....	....	
Aug	....	....	....	
Sep	60⅝	61	58⅝	[illegible]
Dec	66	68⅜	65⅝	[illegible]
CORN—				
July	....	....	....	
Aug	37	37	36⅝	[illegible]
Sep	38⅝	38⅝	38⅝	[illegible]
Dec	....	....	....	
May	88⅝	89	88⅝	[illegible]
OATS—				
July	....	....	....	....
Aug	....	....	....	....
Sept	23⅝	23⅝	23⅝	[illegible]
May	28⅜	28⅜	28	[illegible]
PORK—				
July	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sep	19 00	19 00	12 00	[illegible]
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LARD—				
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RIBS—				
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Corn, all grades, 861; Contract, —
Oats, all grades, 417; Contract, —

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